

GREEK CABINET MEET'S DEFEAT

Chamber Refuses to Vote Confidence by 147 to 114—Dissolution of Parliament is Generally Expected.

FIERY SPEECH MADE BY M. VENIZELOS

Severely Attacks Foreign Policy Followed by Government and Declares That Crown Should Not Interfere.

PARIS, Nov. 4.—After the Zaimis Government had been defeated by a vote of 147 to 114 when M. Zaimis asked the Chamber for a declaration of confidence today, M. Zaimis asked the Chamber to suspend work until a new Cabinet was formed.

The Zaimis Government was defeated in a discussion of foreign politics in the Greek Parliament today, and is expected to resign, a Havas dispatch from Athens says.

A discussion of proposed military laws, the report says, raised a question between the Minister of War, General Yanakakis, and the majority party of M. Venizelos, former Prime Minister, on which issue M. Zaimis decided to ask a vote of confidence.

The discussion then turned to the foreign policy of the Government.

M. Venizelos declared it was impossible for his party longer to sustain the Government, whose policy he considered harmful to the interests of the country. All the party leaders engaged in the discussion.

The final vote was 147 against the Government to 114 for.

Parliament in Chamber
ATHENS, Nov. 4.—The trouble in the Chamber arose over a bill for extra pay to officers during mobilization for war.

A lively discussion ensued. Deputy Vlachos, a follower of M. Venizelos, criticized the bill, and expressed his surprise that it should have been introduced by War Minister Yanakakis, who, he said, was not even a deputy.

M. Vlachos was called to order, and asked to apologize, but General Yanakakis, ignoring the apology, angrily gathered up his papers and left the House, declaring that it was impossible for him to remain.

The incident provoked a tumult, and the sitting was suspended. The Ministers retired to confer in private on the situation.

On the resumption of the sitting, M. Venizelos insisted that General Yanakakis owed the House an apology for his abrupt departure, and that unless he apologized, the House would be unable to continue its sitting. M. Zaimis then declared that the Government considered that no apology was due from the War Minister, and demanded a vote of confidence on the question.

Venizelos' Remarks
A long debate followed, in which all leaders spoke. M. Venizelos delivered two long speeches, defending his policy, and condemning that of the Government. The former Premier said he deplored the fact that Serbia was being left to be crushed by Bulgaria, Greece's hereditary enemy, and that unless he scrupled later to fail on Greece herself.

Challenged by another deputy as to whether he thought the King wished the country's destruction, M. Venizelos said:

"If you want a monarchy say so openly. But your efforts will be unavailing, because the country does not desire a change. It is not a question of patriotism but of constitutional liberties."

"I know the King is a distinguished general, but he is not equally experienced in things political. If I have tolerated the present Cabinet it is because of the constitutional deadlock created by the Crown's action and the impossibility of holding elections in the present state of mobilization."

"You are mistaking this toleration for the approval of your policy, with which I disagree diametrically. Instead of new elections you had better suspend the constitution until the end of the war. Then we may know exactly where the responsibility lies."

Ministers' Replies
Minister of Justice Rhablia, Minister of the Interior Gounaris and Minister of Instruction Theodorakis all attacked the policy of M. Venizelos. M. Gounaris maintained that the constitution conferred upon the King the right to disapprove of a government, and he sought to justify the Cabinet's refusal to assist Serbia.

M. Venizelos again spoke at length in defense of his policy and the vote was then taken, showing a lack of confidence in the Ministry.



KING PETER OF SERBIA

Aged monarch whose country is gallantly continuing her struggle against overwhelming odds.

GREAT ACTIVITY OF HEAVY GUNS

Allies and Germans Exchanging Fire at Several Points Between Coast and Vosges—Battle in Champagne.

PARIS, Nov. 4.—The following French official statement was issued tonight:

"In Belgium our artillery has directed on the enemy positions in the region of Louvain a prolonged bombardment, and shelled effectively the German batteries, which replied against our trenches."

"Violent artillery actions have likewise taken place in Artois, in the sector of the Givenchy wood, and to the south of the Somme, in the region of Beuvraignes and Casteau."

"In Champagne, the struggle continued during the day with greater activity in the region of the Chausson farm, between Hill 199 and Maison de Champagne. We at first pushed the enemy completely from the last section of our advanced trenches, which he still held since yesterday. At the end of the day a new attack of extreme violence permitted him to gain a footing at several points on some fronts very limited in extent and without depth. One other attack against our sector at La Courtine was completely repulsed."

"In the Vosges the artillery duel was resumed in the region of Vioul, and at the same time there took place a very spirited struggle with trench guns."

The Belgian official communication reads:

"The night and morning were calm. In the afternoon the enemy batteries and aeroplanes displayed some activity, particularly in the sector between Nieuport and Dixmude."

SUCCESS IS DUE TO GUN POWER

Invaders of Serbia Able to Make Progress Through Artillery Superiority—Fierce Battle for Uskub.

LONDON, Nov. 5.—The Daily Chronicle's Serbian correspondent, who has just reached Salonica from Belgrade and Kraguevatz, declared that the German progress in Serbia is a repetition of the old story of overwhelming artillery power.

"It is established," he says, "that von Mackensen's army does not include more than 150,000 men, but it is provided with artillery ample for an army of 1,000,000."

"Into Belgrade alone more than 50,000 shells were poured."

The correspondent describes the fighting around Uskub as the bitterest of the war. "The Serbs were outnumbered five to one by the Bulgarians, but the battle raged eleven days before they quitted the city. For the greater part of that struggle, the contending armies were within 300 yards of each other, and hand-to-hand encounters were continuous, with heavy losses on both sides."

"Even when the Serbs were forced to fall back beyond the city, the Bulgarians were unable to enter for days, as the Serbian commandos (irregulars) fought with the Bulgarian commandos doggedly, street by street from cellars to house-tops."

"Serbian officers declare that one additional regiment on their side would have turned the tide of battle in their favor. This, indeed, has been true at all points where ferocious fighting has occurred in the past fortnight."

Unpublished News
LONDON, Nov. 4.—A dispatch from The Hague says that all foreign correspondents in Germany have been refused to send out nothing offensive to Germany and promising that their dispatches will not be changed in the editing, and that no headline unfavorable to Germany will be printed.

GRECIAN CRISIS IS MAIN TOPIC

Defeat and Resignation of Zaimis Cabinet Hold Attention of Europe—Events Come as Surprise.

HAVE NOT DECIDED COUNTRY'S ATTITUDE

Parliament May Be Dissolved, Delaying Definite Action for Some Time—Berlin Afraid of Rumanian Attack.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—The defeat of the Greek government in the Chamber of Deputies and the consequent resignation of the Zaimis cabinet is the latest sensation afforded by the Balkans.

While, of course, it was understood that M. Venizelos, the former Premier, had in his power to turn the government out whenever he desired, having the majority in the chamber at his back, the fall of Zaimis came unexpectedly, and it was believed that the leader of the majority had decided to enable him to remain in office for the present at least.

As so often happens, however, a vote of confidence was demanded by the government on a matter of minor importance—some difference of opinion between M. Venizelos and the minister of war on military proposals, and the government was defeated by a vote of 147 to 114.

King Has Responsibility
By handing the resignation of his cabinet to King Constantine, M. Zaimis again places on the King the responsibility of deciding the future policy of his country. In London the first impression was that the defeat of the government would mean the immediate recall of M. Venizelos and the fulfillment of the original agreement between him and the Allied Powers to go to the assistance of Serbia.

In this belief the news caused a distinct rally on the stock exchange. A dispatch from Athens, however, indicated a possible dissolution of Parliament. Should this course be taken, it would be at least two months before an election could be held and the new cabinet meet. In the meantime the Zaimis cabinet, the resignation of which has not yet been accepted, with perhaps a change in the ministry of war, or some other cabinet favoring the King's policy of continued neutrality, would have charge of affairs, and consequently there would be no change in the military situation.

Even should M. Venizelos be called upon to form a new cabinet, it is not certain that he would join the Allies at present, but the Quadruple Entente would have the assurance that Greece would not turn against them.

May Fight Bulgaria
On the other hand, it is not to be forgotten that King Constantine was willing to follow the policy of M. Venizelos up to a certain point, and there are some diplomats here who believe that, assured of a landing of very strong Anglo-French forces at Salonica and Kavala, together with a Russian army on the other side of Thrace and the possible assistance of Rumania, the Greek King might be willing to embark on operations against Bulgaria.

Greece never looked with favor on Bulgarian occupation of Macedonia, and there are some in the Greek cabinet who fear that a victorious Bulgaria might throw a covetous eye on Kavala, which King Ferdinand fought so hard to secure at the conclusion of the Balkan wars.

Rumania is in somewhat the same position as Greece. A majority of the people of that country favor the Allies, while the King and government wish to maintain neutrality, at least until it appears clear that the Allies can win the war. There have been continual demonstrations in Rumania in favor of the intervention, which have been heightened by the presence of a large Russian force on the north-eastern frontier waiting to attack Bulgaria.

In Berlin, according to reports, fear has been expressed that this force will be allowed to march through Rumanian territory, and that it might be joined by the Rumanian army. To discourage this, an Austro-German army is being assembled on the Western frontier of Rumania, thus the anxiety of the Rumanian government can be understood.

Russian Progress
Besides making progress, the Allies are taking other steps to persuade Greece and Rumania that it is to their interest to join against the Central Powers.

Having checked the German offensive along the entire Eastern front, except directly west of Riga, where the nature of the ground makes an advance difficult, the Russians have started a counter-offensive at three points—west of Drinsk, on the Strv, in Volynia, and on the Strpa in Galicia.

On the Strpa River they claim to have won a great victory, and to have captured 4,000 prisoners, although admitting that the battle is still in progress. They also claim successes at other points.

The Germans on their side claim that all the attacks have been repulsed with heavy losses to the Russians in killed, wounded and prisoners.

From an unofficial source, it is also reported that the Russians advanced in strong force and have captured important positions near Chernovitz, a movement calculated more than anything else to influence Rumania.

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ENEMY ENDEAVORS TO CROSS DVINA

Severe Fighting for Positions Near Czarotorsk and on Strpa River—Heavy Losses on Both Sides.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 4.—The official communication issued today says:

"In the region of Shlok, near Raggatzen, we repulsed an offensive of the enemy, who was beginning to entrench himself west of Raggatzen. To the south of Labe Habit, our detachments have repulsed the offensive of the enemy, who was beginning to entrench himself west of Raggatzen. To the southwest and south of Aushane the enemy is making stubborn resistance."

"Near Glauken, on the Dvina, below Dvinsk, the Germans unsuccessfully tried to cross the Dvina. In the region of Dvinsk we have advanced southeast as far as the outskirts of Iliogatz."

"Near the village of Platskova, south of Lake Sventon, the Germans repeatedly launched counter-attacks without success. We captured five officers and 531 men and four machine guns. The German losses on this sector were enormous. We continue our advance."

"In the region of Podgane, west of Czarotorsk, the enemy succeeded in penetrating deeply into the forest, where he commenced to extend himself. The situation became very desperate, but by united efforts of all grades of our forces, we succeeded in saving the situation. The whole region of the fighting was covered with enemy dead. We took 3 prisoners, 8 officers and 400 Austrians and Germans and captured two machine guns."

"The Germans replied with a terrific artillery fire and then launched a new attack. This also was repulsed."

"The artillery fire has been renewed to the north of Komarov. This attack was repulsed with great enemy losses."

"The enemy has dropped two bombs on the railroad station at Klevan, northwest of Rovno."

"In the direction of attack southwest of Volynia, north of Novo Alexievsk, has been repulsed. The fighting continues."

"A counter-attack near the village of Sienkowsk failed. We drove the storming party back to their trenches. The fighting became less violent toward the evening of the day."

"On the Caucasian front, there have been only advanced guard encounters."

BERLIN, Nov. 4.—The German War Office report given out today announces that the town of Mikulskitch, between Lake Sventon and Lake Ilsen, which was captured by the Russians on Tuesday, has been retaken by the Germans. It was added that further south, on the eastern front, Gen. von Bothmer had taken 3,000 Russian prisoners. The text of the statement follows:

"On the eastern front: Army group of Field Marshal von Hindenburg—The battle of Dvinsk and of Cudonovka is still in progress. Mikulskitch has been retaken by us."

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tection Is of Benefit to Industries
of Commonwealth

OTTAWA, Nov. 4.—A report on the
result of the tariff investigation car-
ried on by the Interstate Commission
of Australia has been forwarded to the
Trade and Commerce Department by
its commissioner at Melbourne.

The commission found varying effects

on industry due to the tariff, although
in some cases the tariff failed to
"stimulate progressive methods and
economical management." It did not
unduly restrict imports since the value
of dutiable imports increased 11.3 per
cent from 1908 to 1913. It also ap-
pears to have stimulated manufactur-
ing since the output of Australian fac-
tories during the period mentioned in-
creased 23.3 per cent, while the pro-
portion of duty paid on imports to the
value of domestic products decreased
from 2.2 to 1.4 per cent.

STEALING FROM POOR COUNTRY

Germans Have Taken War
Levy to Amount of \$72,-
000,000 From People of
Devastated Belgium.

BALANCE STILL DUE
IS \$24,000,000

Immense Quantities of Bel-
gians' Goods Requisitioned,
for Which No Payment Has
Been or Will Be Made.

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 4.—The Chamber of Commerce of Antwerp has issued a report written by its president, E. Castellein, to the members of the permanent deputation which represents the Chamber before the Belgian Government, outlining the steps which the Belgian provinces had taken to pay the German war levy of 480,000,000 francs (\$96,000,000). The report states: "The Belgian provinces have just paid the German administration the ninth monthly installment of the war levy of 480,000,000 francs. They have up to date actually paid out 350,000,000 francs, of which 45,000,000 are to be credited to the 40,000,000 imposed specially with the guarantee given by the German authorities in December, 1914, that indemnity for requisitioned merchandise, or merchandise which would still be requisitioned on blood would be paid as soon as possible in currency, commercial bills of exchange, or in credits on German banks. It, therefore, remains to our provinces in order to free our country completely from the 'heavy burden' imposed upon it after months of invasion and devastation to make monthly payments for September, October, and November, 1915—that is, another 120,000,000 francs, of which 15,000,000 are on account of the 40,000,000 special imposition in exchange for the guarantee for prompt payment for requisitioned goods.

Simply That
"These facts show that for the past nine months Belgium has most scrupulously met the engagements made in her name at the time of the convention relating to war contributions. This convention is, however, of an entirely reciprocal character. Moreover, if Belgium has fulfilled her obligations, the German administration are very much behind in theirs, which is shown clearly by the facts gathered by the Antwerp Chamber of Commerce, and from the general commercial world at Antwerp, facts which it is my duty to lay before you, gentlemen, in all sincerity and with due deference and loyalty.

"I had the honor to send you, on March 19 last, a duplicate report which I addressed to the International Commission on the subjects of requisitioned en masse, which had been imposed on the trade of Antwerp. These requisitions reached an enormous figure, embracing the total amount of stocks in our warehouses and stores accumulated at the time of the occupation of our town by German troops. The requisitioned goods were for the most part removed from the town during the months of November and December by virtue of night, which is greater than right, with the minimum of formality, without any regard to the rights of the owners or holders, without any previous agreement as to the price. The actual figures of the requisitions of which I have been able to get details only regard raw merchandise. This item, representing the major part of our imports, has reached and passed 85,000,000 francs. Five months have passed since I described the situation in my report of March last without the smallest improvement in the situation. Payments received since then do not represent a tenth part of the sums still owing. May I also persuade myself to call these so-called 'payments' advances, representing some 30 to 50 per cent of bills, advances made by credit in marks payable at the Reichsbank, recoverable three months after the conclusion of peace, and the payment of which on maturity involves the parties in the risks of exchange to an extent which can be appreciated by all."

TO CONTROL SHIPPING

Board of Trade Says, in Case of Emergency, Vessels Will Be Requisitioned

LONDON, Nov. 4.—The following official statement was issued yesterday: "The Board of Trade denies rumors that the Government contemplates requisitioning the entire British mercantile marine. The Government has decided to take powers to deal, by requisitioning a sufficient number of vessels, with cases where an emergency of national importance exists at any time in any particular market, owing to absence of tonnage and further regulate the employment of British shipping in the carriage of cargo between foreign ports by means of licenses."

FRENCH CENSORSHIP

Cologne Gazette Is Irritated Because German Exaggerations Are Not Swallowed by France

BERLIN, Nov. 4.—The Cologne Gazette publishes a letter concerning the operation of censorship in France, from which the following extracts were given out today by the Overseas News Agency: "The French censor has the most improbable rumors because they are anti-German, but conceal the facts. The most stupid inventions all the newspapers. For example, the retreat of the Grand Duke Nicholas was called a strategical masterpiece, but no mention was made of the loss of more than 1,500,000 men during the 'admirable retreat.'"

Libert. B. E. W. Clowes Recovering
A telegram from the Adjutant-General to Mrs. Clowes, of 1813 Fairfield Road, states that No. 14 General Hospital, Boulogne, reports Lieut. Richard H. W. Clowes, 1813 Battalion, was struck off the list of dangerously ill on October 21.

Remember the Red Cross Holly Shower, December 1 to 15.

SUBMARINE STRANDED

German Boat, Said to Be U.S. Stationed
Shore on Dutch Island—Towed to
Terschelling

THE HAGUE, Nov. 4.—A German submarine in distress was towed to Terschelling, a Dutch island in the North Sea, by a Dutch lifeboat this morning. A Dutch torpedo boat saw the rocket signals sent up by the submarine and escorted her to an anchorage. The undersea boat is being guarded closely.

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 4.—The German submarine towed into Terschelling is the U.S. She had stranded at Noord-ergrend.

The destruction of the German submarine U-3 was reported on March 4 last in a statement by the French Ministry of Marine, which announced that the craft had been sunk by destroyers and the crew taken prisoners. The British Admiralty afterward announced the sinking of the U-3, the crew being landed at Dover, England. It was the crew of this submarine which it was suggested at the time might be segregated and put on trial after the war, their cases in view of the methods of the German submarine operations being considered exceptional. The title of U-3 appears to have been given to a new submarine.

FOG HAMPER ALPINE WARFARE

Operations of Artillery Blocked
by Weather—Ground on
Various Fronts Fiercely Con-
tested by Armies.

ROME, Nov. 5.—The official statement of the Italian general staff dated November 4 says:

"In the mountainous part of the theatre of operations thick and persistent fogs paralyzed the action of artillery. Bad discharges in an attempt by the enemy infantry against our troops occupying Enguise, Bezzecca and Malaga Zureg, south of the depression at Loppo, were frustrated.

"An attempt by the enemy to gain possession at Pontafel, in the Fella Valley, also failed.

"Along the Isonzo front the struggle continued vigorously yesterday. After clearing the trenches at Zagora of bodies of the enemy which killed them, that important location was fortified more solidly and retained, notwithstanding fresh attacks.

"On the heights northwest of Gorizia, especially around Oslava, we fought stubbornly, with varied success, for the possession of positions which our infantry is pressing closer and closer. We took 132 prisoners, three of whom were officers.

"On the Carso the enemy, supported by an elaborate system of trenches and numerous well-hidden batteries, disputes foot by foot the dogged pressure of our infantry.

"The ever-increasing activity on the Nabresina railroad shows that reinforcements are being hurried up to resist the growing pressure of our troops.

"Yesterday, alternating bold attacks with sapping, which was rendered more difficult by a torrential rain, we stormed the trenches, taking 100 prisoners, three of whom were officers, and two machine guns and war material.

"During a tempest on the night of November 2-3, one of our dirigibles bombarded the enemy encampments on the plain of Gorizia. Although it was discovered by light rockets and search lights and was subjected to an uninterrupted shell fire, our dirigible returned safely."

Austrians Claim Repulse

VIENNA, Nov. 4.—In the War Office report the Italian front is thus referred to:

"Italian theatre—Italian attacks against the bridgehead of Gorizia and the neighboring sector continue. Yesterday most severe attacks were directed against Zagora and Podgora Heights, and Monte San Michele. The enemy everywhere was again repulsed. The fighting is still going on in some trenches east of Tredinow.

"Attacks against the Montenegro front continue. In the captured position east of Bilok and south of Avtovac enemy attacks were repulsed. On the Mountain of Bobija hand grenade fighting has developed."

ASKING PROTECTION

Seizure of Steamer Hooking Leads
Owners of Other Vessels to Appeal
to Department

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—Two appeals growing out of the seizure of American ship Hooking by the British Government were sent to Secretary Lansing tonight. In one P. Henry Graham, a shipping agent, asked protection from British interference for the ship Winnetona, now loading at Jersey City with freight for Scandinavian ports. In the other, R. G. Wagner, president of the American Transatlantic Steamship Company, asks that six of his company's ships be protected from Great Britain on the high seas. The Winnetona is a sister ship of the Hooking, and like her, is owned by the American Transatlantic Company and under American registry. All of the ships have been threatened with seizure by Great Britain.

Mr. Graham in his appeal describes the situation regarding the Winnetona as "desperate." He says that freight already booked has been cancelled because shippers fear seizure of ship and cargo. Mr. Graham declares that if he is obliged to re-book cargo with a competitive foreign line, his loss will be great. He asks that assurance for the protection of the steamer be announced publicly.

Attends Cabinet Meeting

LONDON, Nov. 4.—For the first time since his appointment as attorney-general, Sir Frederick Smith attended the cabinet meeting today.

Are Election During War

LONDON, Nov. 4.—The Marquis of Lansdowne, minister of the portfolio, announced in the House of Lords today that the government was firmly of the opinion that there should be no general election until after the war.

Tsun's Large Family

PEKING, Nov. 4.—The sixteenth son of President Yuan Shi Kai was born today. The president now has 31 children.

HEAVY TRAFFIC AT VLADIVOSTOK

Immense Quantities of War
Supplies and Other Goods
Piled Up at Wharves—Har-
bor Kept Open.

VLADIVOSTOK, Nov. 4.—With its wharves and every available foot of ground along the waterfront piled high with all sorts of war supplies, warehouses piled to their capacity and railway facilities wholly inadequate to meet the insistent demands of the Russian army, Vladivostok is looking anxiously toward the Panama Canal and hoping for a report that the slides have been mastered and will permit the passage of ships carrying rails, locomotives and cars, so necessary to speed up transportation along the 6,000 miles of railway which separate the Russian battle lines from Russia's greatest gateway of supplies.

So far, not a single ship from New York has arrived bearing locomotives or railway cars. Four hundred and fifty locomotives and 20,000 freight cars have been purchased in the United States, and many of them have been shipped; several ships bearing railway supplies passed through the Panama Canal before the slide of September 18, which was reported to have cut off communications for an indefinite time. Because of the block in the Panama route supply ships from New York have been ordered to Vladivostok by the Rues route, which takes several weeks longer under present conditions.

Two fundamental errors have entered into much of the discussion concerning Vladivostok's possibilities as a supply gateway. The first is the somewhat generally accepted statement that Vladivostok is a teetotal part of the winter. This is not true. The other erroneous statement is that the Transiberian Railway is entirely double-tracked from Vladivostok to European Russia. This is equally untrue. Neither is there sufficient steel available to complete the double-tracking along the entire route. Last Winter two railroads kept Vladivostok open throughout the entire cold season without any trouble. This year a third icebreaker has been purchased in Japan, and the port authorities anticipate no difficulty in keeping channels open to the docks.

It is estimated that a trainload of war supplies started westward every three hours, but the great warehouses and piers are constantly filled again from the ships always at anchor waiting for a chance to dock. An endless chain of Koreans and Chinese is piling copper and lead into freight cars, which are rapidly worked into trains and started off for the seat of war.

The Associated Press correspondent saw many familiar trademarks in his walk along the congested waterfront. Motor cars from Detroit, steel rails from an Illinois company, army wagons from several American manufacturers, tinned milk and meat and many other products of the United States are waiting for car space.

Japan is supplying Russia with great quantities of lead and copper, which are delivered at Vladivostok. Shells, rifles and big guns, some as large as twelve inches, are also being provided by the Japanese.

READY FOR WAR LOAN

Many People in Vancouver Said to Be
Prepared to Invest in Dominion's
Proposed Bonds

VANCOUVER, B. C., Nov. 4.—Vancouver is going to contribute millions of dollars to Canada's first war loan, if the predictions of over a score of bank managers and other local financial men are any criterion of the sentiments of the people. On deposit in savings banks and elsewhere in this city there is said to be between \$25,000,000 and \$45,000,000 drawing about four per cent interest. Quite a large proportion of this is going to Ottawa, to be used to equip Canadian troops at the front.

Of twenty-five of Vancouver's most prominent financiers who were interviewed, twenty-two stated that local investors with a lot of money which they were not inclined to put into real estate or real estate loans were waiting for details about "Canadian bonds for Canadians only." The other three were not prepared to say anything as yet.

Ideas on School Buildings

VANCOUVER, B. C., Nov. 4.—By a judgment given yesterday by the Court of Appeal, a decision of considerable importance regarding liens on public school buildings is made known. The case in question was the one Hazel vs. Lund, arising out of the building of the Magee School in Point Grey. The plaintiff, a plasterer, brought an action in the County Court before His Honor Judge Grant, his name being used under a number of mechanics' liens, against the trustees of the school. Judge Grant gave judgment for the plaintiff, allowing the lien, the claims altogether against the trustees, representing between \$15,000 and \$18,000. This judgment has now been upheld by the Court of Appeal.

Women and Quebec Bar

MONTREAL, Nov. 4.—Mrs. Annie Langstaff, who lost her case on appeal before the court of King's Bench, to be allowed to sit for the bar examinations of the province, and, if successful, to be admitted to practice, states that she will not take the case into any other of the courts, but at the next session of Parliament at Quebec, through counsel, ask that an amendment be made to the bar act of the Province of Quebec whereby women will be allowed to enter the legal profession as practicing lawyers, after complying with regulations and passing the examinations required by law. She will endeavor to have the laws amended so that women may be admitted to all the liberal arts.

Disabled Are Returning

MONTREAL, Nov. 4.—The Gazette's London correspondent cabled last night: "Eight hundred wounded or medically unfit non-commissioned officers and men left Shorncliffe today for Canada three special trains taking them to their points of embarkation."

McKinnon Is Released

KINGSTON, Ont., Nov. 4.—John D. McKinnon, former manager of the Union Bank at Hamilton, serving a three-year sentence in the Provincial penitentiary at Portsmouth for defalcation, was released yesterday and left for Hamilton. It is understood he will enlist for service overseas.

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IMPERIAL CONFERENCE

Premier Massey and Sir Joseph Ward
Will Visit London Next
Month

LONDON, Nov. 4.—A dispatch to The Times from Christchurch, N.Z., says:

"It is understood that Premier Massey and Sir Joseph G. Ward, Minister of Finance in the New Zealand cabinet, will start in the middle of December to attend an Imperial council in London. The Times in an editorial explains that there is no indication whether they will attend a formal conference, including other representatives of the Dominions, or whether they will merely talk over New Zealand's share in the war with imperial authorities. The hope is expressed by the Times that their coming means a formal conference by all the Colonies."

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Work for Intervention

MILAN, Nov. 4.—The Roumanian opposition, led by Take Jonescu and M. Filipescu, is doing its utmost to overthrow the Bratianu cabinet and form a new national ministry favorable to the Allies, says a Bucharest dispatch to the Spectator. It is stated semi-officially, however, that Roumanian would enter the war only after the Allies had landed 500,000 men, as otherwise it would be impossible to carry on a war on two fronts.

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CANADIAN CLUB OFFICERS

Mr. F. W. Peters, Honorary President of
Vancouver Organization—Order
for Returned Soldiers

VANCOUVER, B. C., Nov. 4.—The
Vancouver Canadian Club last evening
at its annual meeting for the receiving
of reports and election of officers elected
Mr. F. W. Peters, general superin-
tendent for the British Columbia divi-
sion of the Canadian Pacific Railway, to
the position of president of the club.
The other officers elected were: Rev.
W. H. Vance, first vice-president; Mr.
F. J. Procter, second vice-president;
Mr. R. MacKay Frapp, literary corre-
spondent; Mr. J. R. V. Dunlop, sec-
retary-treasurer; executive committee,
Messrs. R. H. Alexander, O. B. Al-
lan, J. E. Hall, J. N. Harvey, W. G.
Murray, A. G. McCandless, Jonathan
Hogart, R. B. Somerville, Dr. George
Telford, Dr. S. D. Scott, Ewing Buchanan,
J. N. Ellis, Dr. John Mackay, M. A.
Macdonald and F. C. Wade.
On taking over the office from the
retiring president, Dr. J. G. Davidson,
Mr. F. W. Peters referred to his elec-

tion as being the surprise of his life,
"to put it mildly." "I look upon it as
a distinct honor. We are facing a
year of responsibility in the caring for
our returned soldiers that I believe no
other Canadian Club in Canada has yet
undertaken. In this work I feel con-
fident that the members will give the
officers every support."

A strong committee was also appointed
to take up the matter of caring for
the returned soldiers. The committee
is to consist of the president and sec-
retary of the club, four members from
the executive committee, and six others
selected from the membership, the com-
mittee to have power to add to their
numbers.

Agreement Will Lapse

PETROGRAD, Nov. 4.—Russia has
notified the Persian Government that the
Anglo-Russian convention providing for
the maintenance of Persian integrity
and independence will at once lapse if
the rumors prove true that Persia has
concluded a special agreement with Ger-
many and Turkey.

Remember the Red Cross Holly
Shower, December 1 to 15

SEVEN DEATHS ON LATE LIST

Three Canadians Are Reported
Killed in Action and Four
Dead of Wounds—List of
Wounded Long.

OTTAWA, Nov. 4.—The casualty list
tonight bears the names of three men
killed in action and four dead of
wounds, two of these being in captivity
in Germany. There are several wound-
ed or suffering from concussion. The
list follows:

1st Battalion
(Slightly Wounded)
Pte. Joseph Korn, New York City.
2nd Battalion
(Unofficially Reported Died of Wounds
While Prisoner of War)
Pte. Edward J. Barry, Kingston, Ont.
Pte. Cpl. J. H. Neil, England.
(Previously Reported Prisoner; Now
Serving With Unit)
Pte. R. B. Murray, Scotland.
3rd Battalion
(Wounded)
Lieut. G. E. Cragg, Bridgewater, N.S.
(Killed in Action)
Pte. T. P. Cairns, Scotland.
7th Battalion
(Slightly Wounded)
Pte. Arthur Blisset, Scotland.
13th Battalion
(Prisoner of War at Giessen)
Pte. John Palmer, Quebec.
14th Battalion
(Wounded)
Pte. Alfred Bellisle, Montreal.
Pte. Wm. Allard, South Vancouver,
B. C.
(Died)

Pte. A. Murray, Valonia, Ont.
16th Battalion
(Unofficially Reported Prisoner of War)
Pte. F. Long, Peterboro, Ont.

19th Battalion
(Wounded)
Pte. Geo. Milne, Hamilton, Ont.
(Wounded, Now on Duty)
Pte. N. B. Hall, England.

22nd Battalion
(Wounded)
Pte. V. Loranger, Quebec.
Pte. A. Tancredi, Woonsocket, R. I.

26th Battalion
(Wounded)
Pte. E. A. Williston, Chatham, N. B.
(Died of Wounds)
Pte. C. Tiplady, England.

27th Battalion
(Wounded)
Pte. Percy Smith, England.
28th Battalion
(Killed in Action)

Pte. Geo. Clett, England.
(Suffering From Concussion)
Pte. Chas. Woodward, England.
Sgt. Louis Blakemore, England.

Pte. W. R. Palmer, England.
29th Battalion
(Wounded)
Pte. Vernon Hughes, Guestwick, Sask.
Pte. Wm. Lefave, Vancouver, B. C.

31st Battalion
(Wounded)
Pte. Frank White, Edmonton.
Lieut. Percy J. Belcher, Edmonton.
Pte. Duncan Hamilton, Scotland.

QUALIFIED SEAMEN

All Vessels Leaving San Francisco To-
day Able to Secure Men Meeting
Requirements

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 4.—Every
American vessel that left here today,
including the big liner Matensia for
Honolulu, was manned according to the
requirements of the United States Sea-
men's Act, which provides that 40 per
cent of the deck crew must measure up
to certain specified technical and phys-
ical standards.

J. O. Davis, collector of the port, who
was given authority to grant clearance to
vessels whose crews had failed,
after a bona fide effort, to get the nec-
essary percentage of qualified men,
was not called on to exercise his discre-
tionary powers. Mr. Davis denied to-
day that he had sent any request to
Washington for modification or delay in
the enforcement of the Seamen's Act.
Mr. Davis said today that there were
2,500 seamen in this port who would be
affected by this Act. So far, he said,
775 able seamen and 250 lifeboat men
had applied for examination. All the
lifeboat men have passed the technical
and physical examinations; 700 of the
seamen have passed the technical ex-
amination; 132 have been passed by the
doctors, and 11 rejected as physically
unfit.

WILD GERMAN WAIL

Prominent Newspaper Says United
States Must Be Set Right Even at
Cost of Civil War

BERLIN, via London, Nov. 4.—The
Neueste Nachrichten, of Leipzig, ap-
peals to Germany to declare war on the
United States from the blunder of its
friendship with England, even if the
cost be civil war in the United States.
This paper says:

"It is high time that German diplo-
macy stepped in with every particle
of force at its command to put a stop
to England's machinations to convert
the United States into one of her sat-
rapies."

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of his right to enlighten his new home
with all that is best in the German

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spirit. He has long tolerated with mixed
feelings the despicable attitude of his
English thinking and feeling fellow
citizens in their efforts to rob him of
those rights.

"The idea, however, that his own
children should, through England's un-
caring, be forcibly Anglicized and con-
verted to enemies of his fatherland is
more than he can bear."

"To this characteristic English per-
sidity the German-American longs to put
an end. He is, of course, well aware
active opposition on his part will lead
to an anonymous civil war in America,
but even that grim prospect will cease
to scare him. Should it really mean
that responsibility will rest solely with
the blinded fools who have sold them-
selves, body and soul, to the English
devil."

"Our government should no longer
hesitate to take the most drastic steps
consistent with the quasi state of peace
between the two countries to come to the
assistance of our German kindred
across the Atlantic, even though civil
war be the outcome of the step."

PEACE IDEA VAIN

Italian Observers Believe Attempt Is
Being Made to Influence Opinion
in Neutral Countries

ROME, Nov. 5.—The reports con-
cerning peace negotiations are arousing
keen interest here, although little cre-
dence is attached to the rumors that
Prince von Buelow, the former German
ambassador to Italy, is charged with
such a mission.

The Italians see in the numerous
references to peace an attempt to crea-
te in neutral countries an atmosphere fa-
vorable to peace which might constitute
a means for bringing pressure on the
Allied governments.

The Italian press warns public opinion
not to be deceived by such a false hope.
The Tribune asserts that it is in a po-
sition to say that the Entente Allies have
certain guarantees that the Rome Cab-
inet will not be a party to such cir-
cumstances. All the Rome newspapers
agree in pointing out how ridiculous
such attempts would be at the moment
when the union of the Allies had been
drawn closer, without taking into ac-
count the renewed victorious military
activity."

STEAMER ON FIRE

Rio Lages, British Vessel, Sends Dis-
tress Report to Halifax—Left for
New York on October 31

HALIFAX, N.S., Nov. 4.—A vessel,
believed to be the British steamer Rio
Lages, was reported on fire 300 miles
south of Halifax in a wireless message
received here late today from the Danish
steamer Frederick VIII. Captain
Thompson reported in his message to
the Marine and Fisheries Agent of the
Dominion Government that at 4:20 p.m.
today, Greenwich time, he had passed in
latitude 41°15' north, longitude 55°30'
west, a British steamer firing signals
"R.S.M.V." with a fire in her hold and
asking that it be reported to Halifax.
The signals correspond to those of the
Rio Lages, which left New York for
Quebec on October 31. The Freder-
ick VIII. left Copenhagen on October
15 for New York.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—The British
steamer Rio Lages, reported on fire
south of Halifax, left New York on
October 31 for Quebec. She is a
ship of 3,594 tons gross and carried a
crew of about 35 men. She was built in
South Shields, England, and is owned
by the European and Brazilian Shipping
Company, Limited, of London. She was
formerly the steamer Westland. The
local agents, Simpson, Spence & Young,
were unable to state the character of
her cargo.

ARRANGING CREDITS

Bankers in London and New York Bring
Negotiations Practically to
Conclusion

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—Negotiations
between bankers in London and New
York for the establishment of new com-
mercial credits in the United States
were reported today as virtually closed.
An announcement of the formation of a
group of banks to handle the credits in
this country, according to reports,
is expected shortly. It is understood
that Sir Edward Holden, chairman of
the London City and Midland Bank, has
obtained from bankers in London ac-
quiescence in the terms proposed by
American bankers.

One large New York banking institu-
tion today advanced \$20,000,000 on three
months bills to a large English bank.
Other English banks, it is understood,
are obtaining funds in this country in
a similar manner. The form of the
new credits has not been definitely set-
tled, but indications are that they will
be arranged partly through straight
bank loans and partly through accept-
ances on London banks.

Alleged Traffic Tricky

LONDON, Nov. 4.—The suggestion
that the Barber Steamship Company of
New York was shipping German goods
from Rotterdam to New York, whence
the goods were retransported to Great
Britain was contained in a question
asked in the House of Commons today.
Lord Robert Cecil, the Parliamentary
Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs,
replied that although he had no infor-
mation on the subject he would be glad
to consider any that might be sub-
mitted.

French Army Affairs

PARIS, Nov. 4.—Ex-Premier Georges
Clemenceau has been elected president
of the Senate committee of the army,
in place of Charles de Freycinet, who is
vice-president of the Briand Cabinet.
General Gallieni's first step as Minis-
ter of War was to deal a blow at
Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs,
replied that although he had no infor-
mation on the subject he would be glad
to consider any that might be sub-
mitted.

Must Be Cracking Blow

PETROGRAD, Nov. 4.—The view in
responsible circles here regarding peace
talks is that it is the purpose of the
Allies to inflict on Germany a blow
which will weaken her sufficiently to
guarantee Europe a long period of
peace. For this it is not sufficient to
chase the Germans from the countries
they have invaded. A crushing blow
must be inflicted upon them within
their own territory. Only then could
negotiations for peace begin.

Remember Miss Cavell's Memory

PARIS, Nov. 4.—Announcement is
made by a leading Paris newspaper that
one of the masters of contemporary art
has been commissioned to execute a
large bas-relief of the execution of Miss
Edith Cavell which will be presented to
the city of Paris.

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per pair.....35c

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Of print and gingham.
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No Russians at Varna

LONDON, Nov. 4.—A dispatch to
Reuters's Telegram Agency from Petro-
grad says there is no truth in the re-
port that Russian troops have landed
at Varna, Bulgaria's chief Black Sea
port.

Peace Talk in Sweden

LONDON, Nov. 4.—Some of the
Swedish provincial journals say that
the Swedish Government will soon con-
vene a peace congress at The Hague or
at Malmö, according to a dispatch from
Copenhagen to the Exchange Telegraph
Company.

For Surrendering Fortress

MOSCOW, Nov. 4.—General Grigoriev,
who commanded the Russian forces at
Kovno, today was sentenced by court-
martial to fifteen years' imprisonment.
General Grigoriev surrendered the fort-
ress to the Germans after a short
siege, although he had sufficient am-
munition and provisions to hold out for
weeks.

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in the stomach, no heartburn,
sour risings, gas on stom-
ach, or belching of undigested food,
headaches, dizziness, or sick stomach,
and besides, what you eat will not fer-
ment and poison your breath with nau-
seous odors. All these symptoms re-
sulting from a sour, out-of-order stom-
ach and dyspepsia are generally relieved
five minutes after taking a little Dia-
piesin.

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case of Pape's Diapiesin now, and you
will always go to the table with a
hearty appetite, and what you eat will
dole good, because your stomach and
intestines will be clean and fresh, and
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Armenians Mourning

FRESNO, Cal., Nov. 4.—Armenian
residents of Fresno and vicinity made
this a day of mourning because of the
destruction of their people in Asiatic
Turkey, and made a start toward a
relief fund by subscribing \$25,000 at a
mass meeting. All Armenian places of
business were closed and over 1,000
people met at the municipal auditorium
to hear addresses on the Turkish atrocities
and means of relief. Further propo-
sals include a Thanksgiving day.

British Near Bagdad

LONDON, Nov. 4.—A Central News
dispatch from Amsterdam quotes the
Cologne Gazette's Berlin correspondent
with regard to the progress of the
British forces in Mesopotamia, the gist
of his comment being that with the aid
of gunboats on the Euphrates River,
the British have been able to get close
to Bagdad with a relatively small dis-
play of force. The newspaper adds,
however, that it is too soon to say
whether the British will be able to
occupy the city.

British Success in Africa

LONDON, Nov. 4.—An official com-
munication issued today concerning the
operations in the region of German
Southwest Africa says the towns of
Ramenda and Banica have been occu-
pied by the British, whose casualties
were small.

Reported by Overseas Agency

BERLIN, Nov. 4.—The Roumanian
Government has ordered the disarmament
and internment of two Russian
torpedo boats and an armed steamship
which are in Roumanian waters at
Turnu-Severin on the Danube, says the
Overseas News Agency.

Lady Paget and Nurses Safe

BUCHAREST, Oct. 31.—(Delayed)
via London, Nov. 4.—Word has been re-
ceived in a telegram from Lady Paget
that all the members of her hospital
staff have been gathered at Uspuk and
are safe and well. They are receiving
every courtesy from the Bulgarians.

French Aviators Active

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 4.—The Telegraph
states that on Monday a French aviator
flew over Mechlin and Liege and
bomarded a German munition depot.
Three other aviators bombed German
defence works on the French and
Belgian fronts.

Death of Sir Robert Laidlav

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Nov. 5.—H. J.
Heime received a telegram today from
London announcing the death there
yesterday of Sir Robert Laidlav, aged 55,
president of the World's Sunday School
Association.

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GREEK POLITION

The situation in Greece is developing rapidly. Premier Zaimis has been defeated on a vote of confidence which he himself asked for, and the Chamber of Deputies has suspended its sessions until a new cabinet can be formed. His resignation will probably follow as a matter of course. Since he took office a couple of months ago M. Zaimis appears to have aimed chiefly at giving effect to the pro-German sentiments of the King rather than at satisfying the desires of the people. The outcome of recent events will be watched with very great interest.

We make no pretence of being able to have any better understanding of the crisis that has arisen in Greece than can be derived from perusal of the dispatches as they come in from day to day; but some things seem self-evident. One of them is that by throwing in his lot with the Teutons, Ferdinand of Bulgaria is playing for a very high stake. He aims at supremacy in the Balkans, at establishing what he called in one of his proclamations a Bulgarian Empire. If the Teutons should win the war, this would be his reward, and with Bulgaria supreme from the Black Sea to the Adriatic, the position of Greece would be insupportable. The very life of the Hellenic kingdom and all the ambitions which its people have cherished since 1830 would be jeopardized by Bulgarian supremacy. On the other hand, the people of Greece know very well that Great Britain and France desire to see their country made stronger than ever, and that Italy is by no means averse to the extension of its power. Every tradition held sacred by the Greek people, every national aspiration would be crushed by Bulgarian supremacy. Their cases would be only a little less desperate than that of the Serbs under the tyranny of those who would then be their new masters.

The frank and unequivocal promises made by the British and French Premiers as to the determination of their respective countries to leave nothing undone to save heroic Serbia from annihilation, and the landing of large forces of troops by the Allies, cannot fail to produce a profound effect upon the minds of the Greeks.

THE WAR

This is the 422nd day of the war. Activities in the West seem to have been confined recently to artillery, although there has been some lively work with hand grenades north of Arras, according to yesterday's dispatches. This, with the statement that the Germans are preparing a line of defence in Belgium to which they can withdraw, was the substance of the news received during the twelve hours ending at 6 p. m. yesterday.

There seem to be good reasons for thinking that the tide on the Eastern front is setting against the Teutons. Petrograd professes to be confident that both Riga and Dvinsk are safe, and there is no longer any doubt that von Hindenburg has been compelled to withdraw his forces for a considerable distance. We are inclined to accept dispatches from Geneva with considerable allowance, and perhaps too much stress ought not to be laid upon the report which comes from that city and says that Casarowitz, the capital of Bukovina, has been taken by the Russians. This is something that our Allies would be very likely to attempt, but in the absence of confirmation, all that can be said is that such a gain would have a very potent effect upon the situation in the Balkans. Its influence upon the action of Roumania would be profound.

All the other news of yesterday related to the Balkans. Out of a somewhat confused and contradictory lot of dispatches, the fact seems to emerge that the Allied forces that have landed at Salonica, have administered a rather severe defeat to the Bulgarians. Elsewhere in Serbia the fortunes of the combatants appear to be varied. That the Serbs are resisting the invaders stoutly is conceded from all quarters. They appear to be doing so with a fair degree of success in some places, but in others are being compelled to fall back. The statement that the Russians are massing troops near the mouth of the Danube with the intention of sending them up that river in boats to fall upon the Bulgarians from the north, provided, of course, that Roumania consents to the use of the river for that purpose, is highly interesting. The Danube for a considerable distance flows through Roumania, and afterwards forms the boundary between that country and Bulgaria.

AMONG THE HEROES

A well-known Victoria physician, writing to a friend, but not for publication, says: "It is very cold in the trenches. I have plenty of blankets, but it's very hard to keep warm." All the heroes of this war are not among those who dash across bullet-swept fields in a charge.

the dispatch rider, the man on observation duty, the artilleryman, the one whose duty it is to provide his comrades with food and ammunition—these and other branches of the service furnish their quota of heroes. We do not hear one per cent of their noble work. It will never be told in anything remotely approximating detail.

But there is a class at the firing line of whom we hear very little, namely, the physicians and the members of the Field Ambulance Corps. Strictly speaking, these men are non-combatants. They are not expected to fight, and they do not fight. They have got the help that comes from taking part in actual strife. They must wait with what patience they can until the time comes for them to help the wounded. It is for them to ameliorate the horrors of battle as best they can. In days gone by such work as they perform was done under a tacit understanding that they should be free from attack. At the Geneva Convention, an international agreement was reached by virtue of which this work, if done under the Red Cross, should always be sacred from attack. But Germany has treated this agreement as another "scrap of paper," and the Banner of Mercy is no protection. It is under such conditions that the Field Ambulance Corps and the physicians belonging to it must work. They are doing their duty with absolute courage. There can be nothing finer than what they are doing. They also are among the heroes.

RED CROSS WORK

We have a letter from a correspondent, which he neglected to sign, and, therefore, we cannot print it; but we can speak of the subject matter, which is an appeal to young girls, with little time on their hands, to offer their services to the Red Cross workers. He tells them not to wait to be asked, but to volunteer, and assures them that they will be welcomed by those who now devote so much time to the preparation of hospital supplies for men at the front.

His advice is good. This is everybody's war, and everybody ought to do what is in their power to help those who are doing the actual fighting. Not very long ago, some young girls were disposed to look upon Red Cross work as a fad that would live its brief life and then be abandoned; but those who have devoted themselves to find it far from being a fad. It is a grave duty, of the importance of which only those can form any estimate who have taken part in it. There are in this community many noble women and young girls who are making it their constant work. Every other consideration is given a second place in their minds. It may at times be onerous, but their cheerful activity never wavers. How many wounded soldiers have been helped by what they have done is only recorded in the Book of Remembrance of loving deeds. They themselves never can know, and they have no wish to know. The psychological effect of this work is exceedingly valuable. Out of the war there will come a new national spirit. The young men of Canada who come home again will think new thoughts. As one of those who hopes to be able to return, wrote, a few days ago, their "outlook on life is broader and different." Those who are putting their labor and their hearts into the Red Cross work will derive from it a broader outlook, and their thoughts will take a new departure. This is not a war in which "men must work and women must weep," but one in which they all can work, drawing from their labors relief from anxiety and a better conception of the obligations of citizenship.

The demands of the Red Cross are at present limitless. No person connected with it will undertake to say when enough will have been done. Give to it. If you can, give money; if you cannot give money, give work; if you can give both, give both.

CONSERVATION

In the report of the Sixth Annual Meeting of the Commission of Conservation, we find an interesting address on the prevention of forest fires, delivered by Mr. H. R. MacMillan, Chief Forester of the Provincial Department of Lands, but at present acting as special lumber Commissioner for the Federal Department of Trade and Commerce. The address seems to have made an exceedingly favorable impression. Sir Clifford Sifton, after its conclusion, said: "We are very pleased to have Mr. MacMillan with us. I wish to put myself on record as saying that, while not an expert on the matter that has been discussed, it is perfectly clear that British Columbia is doing better perhaps than any other Province in Canada at the present time in regard to fire protection and taking care of her forests. It is pretty clear that they are spending their time and money and are working at the problem in a serious way. In connection with our own work, they have shown the most reasonable spirit in co-operating with us. I had occasion today to write to Sir Richard McBride, and I expressed my thanks, on behalf of the commission, for the way in which his Government has co-operated with us."

Elsewhere in the report we find very appreciative reference to the developing business in fresh fish, now so manifest on the Pacific Coast. In connection with this industry, the policy of the commission is to assist in every way in promoting the consumption of fish. People hardly realize the nature of the very excellent work which the Conservation Commission is doing. It has other objects than the mere saving of our natural resources, and endeavors to foster their economical exploitation by plans whereby the supply can be kept permanently large.

THE GREAT GERMAN MOVIE

The dispatches say that the sentiment of the people of Russia, as expressed in Petrograd, is that there can be no peace, not only while the Teutons occupy any foreign territory, but until such a defeat has been inflicted upon them within their own borders as will ensure a permanent peace for Europe.

Any other result of the war will be barren of good. The monster of Prussian militarism must receive a blow from which it can never recover. When this has been done, the German people will awaken to a realization that they have been indulging in a dreadful dream and will re-establish themselves upon a new and better foundation.

The clerk who addressed a recruiting circular to Lord Kitchener must either be an absent-minded beggar, or an undiscovered humorist.

"President Wilson, of the United States, is about to remarry," says Public Opinion. No wonder he felt like Lord Roberts, who, on a famous occasion said, "Can't you see I'm busy?"

"The maximum energies of the enemy can never again be reached," declares Mr. Hilaire Belloc. "For those energies throughout the Summer have been spent in attempting to find a decision in the East. The Western Allies can now concentrate more men more rapidly, and (on account of their superiority in the air) more secretly, and accumulate more munitions for the service of more heavy pieces than can their opponents."

With characteristic impudence the German press calls upon the Government to exhaust the powers of diplomacy to prevent the United States from aiding the Allies, which means, of course, the shipment of munitions, and to back up German residents in that country "even to the extent of civil war." There is no nation in the world except Germany where such an appeal would be permitted. It is a flagrant insult to a neutral Government.

The Frankfurter Zeitung frankly describes Germany's intentions in regard to Serbia when it says: "The blow is at the heart of the Serbs. What we have in the first place to obtain is a strip, hardly forty-five miles broad, which separates Hungary from Bulgaria. But if we expect to make permanent gain, our troops must make a whole job of it, and Serbia must be thrown to the ground. This is the purpose of the great operation now beginning."

The British soldiers in the trenches refuse to be impressed by the German hymn of hate, much to the disgust of the Germans, and some of the Tommies have made a parody on it, which they occasionally shriek from their trenches to the listening and astonished Germans who cannot understand the humorous side of the situation nor the irony of the words. Needless to say, these Tommies are almost all East End Cockney, as their version of the hymn would show:

'Tis of the 'eart, an' 'tis of the 'and;
'Tis by water an' 'tis by land
'O do we 'tis to beat the band—Eng-land.

We are sorry we cannot give the whole parody. It is a remarkably free translation of the original.

The Chicago Herald says: "Soon after the Turkish rulers were persuaded to draw the sword in Germany's cause the Constantinople claimants to authority in Islam proclaimed the often threatened 'holy war,' urging all Moslems to slay all Christians. The purpose was well known; it was hoped to excite to revolt the scores of millions of Moslems in India, Egypt and French Africa. That plan failed, but the barbarous Turk was not deprived of his desired feast of slaughter. In Armenia the 'holy war' rages and threatens with extirpation a moiety of the first Christian nation. For the Armenians have that distinction. In all the world there were perhaps 3,000,000 Armenians, half of them in Turkey. Of these about 800,000 are believed to have perished already. Practically the only hope of saving the other 700,000 is that the Government of Christian Germany may be moved to exert itself to restrain its Turkish assistants and dependents from continuing their 'holy war' upon those who have done nothing to incur German enmity. Surely 'Christian' Germany must be 'writ sarkistik' in the foregoing quotation."

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

No letters to the Editor will be printed except over the proper signature of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

Red Cross Funds

Sir,—There are no doubt many people who, while not having any superfluities in the strict sense of the word, have some article of value which they would be glad to sell for the benefit of the Red Cross, provided a fair price was obtained. This point was touched upon in a letter in last night's Times over the signature of The Red Cross Superfluities Committee.

It is quite conceivable that some article, such as a picture or an old print, worth for illustration the sum of \$100, would be bought up at an auction by some wide awake dealer at the absurd price of \$5.00. In which event the Red Cross would only benefit by \$5.00 and the dealer by \$95.00, while the donor would have the legitimate feeling that he was "done" in the time of \$95.00.

To get over the difficulty the suggestion made in the letter above referred to is a good one. It is that the article would not be accepted unless the committee gets a reasonable offer. It then would be put up at auction at that figure and sold to the highest bidder. If this proposal receives proper publicity it should result in many valuable gifts to the Red Cross.

ALFRED CARMICHAEL,
Belmont House, Victoria, B. C., November 4, 1915.

A. O. F. CELEBRATION

Twelfth Anniversary of Court Victoria
Is Commemorated in Majestic Fashion

On Wednesday evening, Court Victoria, A. O. F., celebrated its twelfth anniversary in the A. O. F. Hall, Broad Street, by one of the most successful entertainments yet held by its members. Bro. Arthur Manson, P. D. C. R., provincial treasurer, occupied the chair, and in the course of an interesting address, stated that Court Victoria, since its inception, had paid out in sick benefits to its members the sum of \$12,500, averaging \$1,000 per annum; in death benefits during that time, the sum of \$1,600; and for contingent and benevolent purposes, the sum of \$3,600, altogether a highly creditable showing.

Since the war started, eleven of its members had gone to the front, while one had been killed in action; seven members had gone with the Pioneer Corps, under Lieut.-Col. Hodgins; one with the Ambulance section; one with the Hospital workers; two with Munition workers, while four were with the colors in different battalions.

After Chief Ranger Manson's address, a very attractive programme was gone through. A selection by the band, an orchestra of seven pieces, under the leadership of F. A. Saunders, was most enjoyable, while the bagpipe selection by Miss Agnes Wallace was unique, as it is not often the public have the privilege of listening to the bagpipes played by a young lady of the ability of Miss Wallace. Quite the feature of the programme, however, was the Highland dancing of the Misses Mary and Jessie Shearer, aged 14 and 10, respectively. Mrs. White's song, "Angus Macdonald," touched a sympathetic chord in the hearts of the audience, at a time like this, when all are more or less interested in the boys at the front. The step-dancing of Bro. Boyd was another clever item; comic songs were sung by C. W. Ankey and T. Dooley. A cornet solo by F. A. Saunders and a selection by the orchestra brought the first part of the evening's entertainment to a close. After supper, the floor was cleared for dancing. Altogether, the twelfth anniversary of Court Victoria will be long remembered.

PUBLICITY PROBLEMS

Development Association Executive
Considers Steps to Continue Work
During Winter

A report of the results of his trip to Seattle, during which he secured a promise of co-operation from the American railways in the placing into operation of a cheap rate from the Northwestern States to the Coast for tourists, and the inclusion of Victoria and Vancouver Island in this rate, was made by Commissioner Cuthbert at a meeting of the executive committee of the Victoria and Island Development Association last night. The advisability of Victoria joining in with other cities in an extensive publicity campaign to advance the interests of the cities of Spokane, Portland, Seattle and Victoria, was shortly discussed and a further report thereon will be made later by the Commissioner. Details of the proposed campaign in the Pacific section were set forth by the Commissioner, but pending the completion of financial arrangements, no definite steps were authorized.

Reference was made to the possibility of enlarging facilities here for the production of munitions of war, but as the question involved important points respecting the importation of labor, etc., no action could be taken. Further details will be available at a subsequent meeting, but considerable amount of routine business was transacted.

DEATH OF SOLDIER

Pte. Frederick Butcher, of Western
Scots, Succumbs to Illness of
Short Duration

Pte. Frederick Butcher, of the 65th Battalion, Western Scots, who had been ill only a very short time, passed away yesterday morning at the military hospital at Work Point.

The deceased soldier was a native of Wrexham, Wales, where he was born 39 years ago. He came to this country a few years ago with his family and until recently resided at Vancouver, where he is survived by his parents, two sisters and two brothers. He joined the Western Scots at the Willows a short time ago and was very popular with his colleagues.

The remains were forwarded to Vancouver for interment last night, the casket being borne to the wharf on a gun carriage draped with the Union Jack. A detachment of the men from the battalion escorted the body.

Criminal Libel Is Charged
MONTREAL, Nov. 4.—Jules Fournier, editor of L'Action, a French-Canadian weekly, has been committed to trial charged with criminally libelling Mayor Meiorin Martin in a recent issue of his journal when discussing Montreal's civic officials. The case may come before the present term of the court of King's Bench.

Summers Affect Exchange
LONDON, Nov. 4.—Pearce Remond and the mysterious journeys of Mr. W. G. Hoff, German Secretary of State for the Colonies, to The Hague, and Prince von Buelow to Switzerland, are having an effect on the German Stock Exchange, according to a Berlin letter to the Frankfurter Zeitung.

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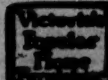
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SOLDIERS RETURN IN DISABLED STATE

Ptes. Milloy, Johnston, Davey and Heaslip, Arrive at Victoria From Seat of the Fighting.

Four wounded Victoria soldiers, who left during the early stages of the war for duty overseas, returned to the city yesterday afternoon in a disabled condition, unfit for further active service. The party was composed of Pte. C. A. Milloy, of the 16th Battalion; Pte. Clarence B. Johnston, of the 7th Battalion; Pte. J. H. Davey, of the 7th Battalion, and Pte. J. W. Heaslip, of the 7th Battalion. They were received at the 3 o'clock boat by the Welcome Committee and a detachment of soldiers.

Pte. Milloy went from here with the first draft to leave from the 50th Gordon Highlanders. He was wounded in the arm at St. Julien, but is now recovering fairly rapidly. The parents of the young soldier live at 1513 Jubilee Avenue. Today he is leaving the city on a trip to the country.

Pte. Johnston left here with the 30th Battalion and was formerly a member of the 8th Fusiliers. He went through several important engagements at the front and barely escaped being killed. He was hit on the head just behind his left ear and the bullet only missed penetrating his brain by a fraction of an inch. He was wounded during the first week in June and spent several months

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Pte. Davey was formerly a resident of Port Alberni, but he is at present stopping at the Y. M. C. A. He served with the 4th Alberta Rifles before enlisting with the 8th for active service, and was wounded last May at Festubert, when a bullet entered his right arm and caused partial paralysis.

Headly was struck by a fragment of shrapnel in the stomach on May 24, while fighting at Festubert. He was also hit by a bullet in the shoulder. He left here with the 50th Battalion and was subsequently transferred into the 7th Battalion.

MILITARY PROMOTIONS

Major C. F. de Salis Appointed to the Command of the 30th Battalion, C.E.F.—Other Announcements

The London Gazette of October 5 contains the announcement of the appointment of Lieut.-Col. H. G. Medley, 19th Lancers, "Fane's Horse," Indian Army, to be a general staff officer, second grade. Lieut.-Col. Medley lived for some years near Duncan and was well known in the Cowichan district. Prior to leaving for England early last summer he spent some months in Victoria.

It is noted in The London Gazette of the same date that Major C. F. de Salis, of the 30th (Reserve) Battalion, Canadian Infantry, is appointed to the command of that unit. He is to hold the temporary rank of Lieutenant-colonel, vice J. H. Hall, "vacated, June 18, 1915."

It also is stated that the Rev. C. C. Owen, of Vancouver, chaplain of the 7th Battalion, has been promoted from the rank of honorary captain to that of major.

General Monte Arrives
ROTTERDAM, Nov. 4.—Lt.-General Sir Charles C. Monte, G.C.B., British's new commander-in-chief in the Gallipoli Peninsula, has arrived at his post, according to the Vossische Zeitung's Sofia correspondent, and made great preparations for landing troops.

APPEAL FOR HELP OF PREMIER AND MEMBERS

Major Henniker, Officers and Men of Independent Squadron of B. C. Horse, Are Grateful for Assistance.

Headed by the pipers of the 50th Regiment, Gordon Highlanders, the Independent Squadron of B. C. Horse, which has been authorized to recruit to the war strength of a mounted regiment, namely 125, paraded on the Wilfrid camp in the Parliament Buildings yesterday afternoon. There they were received by Sir Richard McBride, Mr. G. H. Barnard, M. P., and Mr. R. F. Green, M. P.

Major Henniker, the O. C., explained that he, his officers and men wished to extend their thanks to that of the assistance they had rendered in obtaining the approval of Sir S. Hughes, Minister of Militia, to the proposal that the unit be increased to the strength of a regiment. The commanding officer stated that he, and those associated with him, were appreciative of the fact that they had the helpful influence of the three gentlemen mentioned in their efforts. He wanted to say that they realized what had been done on their behalf, and that it would be their endeavor to make the unit one of which they and the entire Canadian West might be proud. There was only one other thing, Major Henniker stated, that he would like to obtain and it was the permission to name the new establishment the Vancouver Island Mounted Rifles.

Replying, Sir Richard said that he took a great interest in all overseas forces raised in British Columbia, and that he always held himself in readiness to do anything in his power to help those engaged in a work so essentially for the benefit of the Empire. He thought that the suggestion that the regiment should be known as the Vancouver Island Mounted Rifles was a good one. He trusted that Major Henniker and the corps would be ready to proceed to England and to take their place at the front at an early date. When that moment arrived he would wish them God-speed.

Messrs. Barnard and Green affirmed that there was little to add to what the Premier had stated. They were very glad if the little that they had been able to do had in any way assisted Major Henniker, his officers and their men in the attainment of what they sought. They would be very happy to lend their services, for what they were worth, in any reasonable future request. It was their desire that the regiment would be blessed with the best of luck from the date of its inception. The suggestion that it should be known as the Vancouver Island Mounted Rifles was one that commended itself to them, and they would use their influence to have it confirmed.

The parade strength, outside of the officers, was eighty-three. Major Henniker was in command, and with him were Lieutenants Lawder, Dunford and Barton.

Major Henniker stated last evening that nothing would be done with respect to the organization of a plan of campaign for recruiting until official confirmation of the authority was received through the usual channels.

PROMOTIONS GIVEN OFFICERS OF 67TH

Captain Harbottle, Who Is Adjutant, Becomes Junior Major of Western Scots—Others Are on List.

A number of important promotions were announced yesterday among the officers of the 67th Battalion, Western Scots. Capt. Harbottle, on whom has devolved the responsibilities of adjutant since the death of the late Lt. Col. Ross, has been promoted to the rank of junior major. He will command the left half of the corps. Capt. S. D. Armour and Lieut. H. Meredith-Jones receive the rank of company majors. Lieut. Nicholson is promoted to the rank of captain. These changes are to take effect immediately.

The recommendations were made some weeks ago, and the news that they have been approved came to hand yesterday. They are in line with the policy which Col. Ross stated at the outset would be adopted. He said that he had purposely avoided the appointment of majors in order that the vacancies might be filled as the officers selected proved their ability.

The officers chosen have been the recipients of general congratulations from their friends and acquaintances. Their promotion forecasts the appointment of other officers to fill the places now vacant.

CANADIAN GIRL GUIDES

General Chapter, L.O.B.E., Present Colors to No. 4 Company—Drills for the Week

Further progress of the Girl Guide movement in Victoria was marked by an enrolment ceremony and the presentation last week of colors to the 5th Victoria Company at the Old School room, Foul Bay Road. A large gathering of friends of the movement, including a strong representation from the Gonzales Chapter, L.O.B.E., were present. The hall was made especially attractive by the Gonzales with flags and bunting.

Following the enrolment of the members of the company by Guide Captain Miss E. Roberts, Mrs. Curtis Sampson, on behalf of the Gonzales Chapter, which is the patron body of the company, presented the colors. She drew the attention of the girls to the significance of the flag and trusted that it would be held in honor. She assured them of the great interest of the Chapter in their behalf and hoped that No. 4 Company might grow to be one of the strongest and smartest in Victoria. Captain Roberts replied for the company, expressing appreciation for the gift and an assurance that its significance was fully felt.

It was announced that the Rev. G. H. Andrews had consented to act as Chaplain to the company. A vote of

thanks was given to Mrs. Lampman and the Oak Bay Branch of the Red Cross Society for allowing the Guides to attend their headquarters to work and so qualify for the War Service badge. The offer of Sergeant Allen to instruct the company in signalling was accepted with enthusiasm. They are taught physical drill by Captain Roberts, who is the holder of several certificates for drilling. The singing of the National Anthem closed the formal proceedings. The visitors then mingled with the Guides to make interested inquiries as to their aim and work. At the suggestion of Mrs. Pemberton, each guide pledged herself to bring a new recruit.

A church parade will be held at St. Mary's, Burns Street, Oak Bay, on Sunday next, at 3 p.m., at which the chaplain will consecrate the new colors of the company, when the other Victoria companies are invited to attend, also all who are interested in the Girl Guides. Seats will be reserved for the visiting troops and for members of the L.O.B.E., who are requested to wear their badges.

OFFICERS OF 67TH ARE BANQUETTED

"The Staff" of Western Scots Entertain Lt.-Col. Lorne Ross and Officers at Dominion Hotel.

Lieut.-Col. Lorne Ross and other officers of the 67th Battalion, Western Scots, were the guests of "the staff" of the unit at the Dominion Hotel last evening. For the benefit of the unit, the staff, which includes the machine gun section, the "pioneers," the ambulance corps, the signallers, and, in this instance, the pipers of the corps. These various detachments arranged the entertainment, and, with the assistance of the management of the hotel, gave their guests what was truly described as one of the most enjoyable evenings since the Western Scots came into existence.

In addition to the material offerings of the menu, which were substantial and tasty, and to the refreshments which inspired some of the speakers afterwards called upon, the toast list was one which sustained pleasure and merriment. Capt. S. D. Armour presided, and his timely interpellations contributed to no small extent to the outstanding success of the event. Col. Ross was heard in response to the toast to "His Majesty the King." B. S. M. Boys was sponsor to the toast to "The C. O. and officers of the 67th," to which Major Christie, second in command, responded. "The Allies" were drunk to after a short introduction by Major Sargison, the reply being made by Capt. Bright. Capt. the Rev. Dr. Campbell, the battalion's chaplain, proposed "The 67th Battalion," acknowledged fittingly by Capt. Harbottle. Lieut. O'Neil could not understand why he should be required to propose "Our wives and sweethearts," but he did so very gracefully. He deplored the fact that so many young ladies had refused his hand, but boldly asserted that he had not yet lost hope. Capt. Armour, who responded, ventured the opinion that a glance at his fellow officer in football "duds" would explain his hard luck. There were first-class addresses from Lieut. Bryant, M. O., and Lieut. Perkins, on the toast, "Canadians at the Front."

Others who contributed to the programme follow: Cpl. Morrison, song; Pte. Peck, recitation; Pte. Day, violin solo; Drummer Allan, song; Ptes. Parry and Towson, duet; Pioneer Sergt. Smith, violin selections; Sergt. McNamee, recitation; Cpl. Morrison and Pte. Doyle, duet; Pte. Pearson, song; Pte. Harper, impersonations; Pte. Arbuthnot, song; Piper Angus, pianoforte solo.

YOUNG MEN OF CITY ASKED TO ENLIST

Mayor Stewart and Reeves of Municipalities Make Special Appeal for Recruits for 88th Regiment.

An organized campaign to obtain the recruits necessary to bring the 88th Regiment, Victoria Fusiliers, to the war strength of an overseas battalion, went out going outside the bounds of Southern Vancouver Island, to be launched. Mayor Stewart, the Reeves of the adjoining municipalities and prominent residents of the districts are co-operating with Lt.-Col. H. J. Ross Cullin, the C. O., and his officers in the effort. With this in view a meeting has been called for next Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the city hall. It will be attended by a representative gathering, as will be seen by the following communication which has been sent by the Mayor to the different public organizations of the community:

"Dear Sir,—Lieutenant-Colonel Ross Cullin has undertaken the task of raising an overseas battalion for active service, and it is his desire that this battalion shall be distinctly identified with Victoria City and District.

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AWAITING TRIAL

Campbell River Bankers Committed on Charge of Attempting to Murder Old-Time Prospector

To await trial at the next assizes Jean Smith and Sol Malmgren, committed for trial at Campbell River on a charge of attempting to murder H. M. Bacon, an old-time prospector of Vancouver Island, have been brought down to the provincial jail here by Provincial Constable Marshall, of Quathliam Cove. Bacon, commonly known as "Lord Bacon," in his testimony at the preliminary hearing before the police magistrates at Campbell River, stated that he had had a dispute with Smith and Malmgren and others over some mineral claims about thirty miles from Campbell River. Bacon asserted that he had

staked the claims and done some work upon them before the others came along and staked. He stated that on October 12 as Bacon was walking from Campbell River to his claims, Smith and Malmgren came along the road behind him driving a rig. As he stepped to one side to let them pass they stopped the horse and one of them got out, knelt and deliberately fired at him, the first shot striking him in the right hand and nearly severing his thumb, while the second grazed his left groin. Bacon ran into the nearby bush followed by the two, but he managed to elude them and took shelter in the cabin of a settler who bandaged his wounds. The next morning the settler went to Campbell River to notify the police and in his absence Bacon, through the chinks in the walls of the cabin could, he asserted, see Smith and Malmgren approach and attempt to force their way into the cabin. The door was locked and they soon desisted and returned to Campbell River.

Smith and Malmgren remained at Campbell River for forty-eight hours, making no attempt to get away, and when arrested by Constable Marshall claimed that he had been previously threatened by Bacon, who had stated he would shoot them if he found them near the claims.

The evidence at the preliminary hearing showed that nine days before the shooting Smith, who is a rancher at Campbell River, applied to Constable Marshall to arrest Bacon who, he alleged, was insane, but the constable refused to take any action.

Christmas Bazaar—On Tuesday afternoon, December 7, the Ladies' Aid of the Reformed Episcopal Church will hold an afternoon tea and sale of useful and fancy articles suitable for Christmas gifts, in the schoolhouse corner of Humboldt and Blanshard Streets.

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

County Court Sessions—Notice is given in this week's issue of The British Columbia Gazette that sittings of the County Court will be held at Vancouver on November 8, and at McBride on November 15.

Passed Examinations—Of the nine operators of moving picture machines who recently took the examination prescribed by the city bylaw as necessary before a license could be issued, six have qualified. Two others took a verbal examination yesterday.

Agricultural Association—Indicative of the spread of settlement to the remote parts of the Province is an announcement in this week's issue of the British Columbia Gazette that articles of incorporation have been issued to the Port St. John Agricultural Association.

Water Rights—Notice is given in this week's British Columbia Gazette that meetings of the board of investigation under the Water Rights Act of the Provincial Government will be held at New Westminster on December 15-17, to deal with the matter of holdings along the tributaries of the lower Fraser River.

Spanish Friendly Help—Many men in the Spanish district have answered the Empire's call in one way or another. For those who cannot do this particular duty there is employment as long as the open weather lasts. Should any hear of a case of sickness, or of real need, they are asked to ring up the secretary, 258X, between the hours of 9 and 10 a.m.

Resignations Announced—Notice is given in the current number of The British Columbia Gazette of the resignations of Albert S. Hood, of Rivers Inlet, as coroner for the county of Vancouver; Arthur B. Chandler, of Rossland, M. D., as a coroner; H. D. Ruggles, as police magistrate and magistrate of the Small Debts Courts of the city of North Vancouver; and G. St. G. Yarwood, of Huntingdon, as Justice of the peace and notary public.

Provincial Appointments—Notice of the following appointments appears in this week's issue of The British Columbia Gazette: H. C. Stevens, M. D., to be assistant medical superintendent for the hospital for the insane at New Westminster; Councillor R. E. Clouston, to be a licence commissioner for Point Grey, in the place of W. B. McKechnie, resigned; G. F. Guernsey, of Penitence, to be a notary public; J. A. Kirk and S. M. Young, to be directors of the Summerland Hospital.

Companies Incorporated—Notice is given in the current issue of the British Columbia Gazette that certificates of incorporation have been granted to the following: Bute Logging Company, capitalized at \$10,000; Commercial Lumber and Shingle Company, \$10,000; Copper Basin Mining and Development Company, \$100,000; Ellipse Iron Works, \$20,000; J. G. Moffatt, Limited, \$50,000; Knowltons, Limited, \$50,000; Lynn Creek Mines Development Company, \$40,000. Each of the companies register Vancouver as the head office.

Ganges Chapter, I.O.O.F.—The monthly meeting of the Ganges Chapter, I.O.O.F., was held on Tuesday last, the regent, Mrs. Scott, presiding. Thirty members were present. One new member, Miss Phyllis Borradaile, was elected. The treasurer stated that the sum of \$28.85 had been realized as the result of a collection made for the Red Cross fund on Trafalgar Day. At the meeting it was decided to hold a stall of Christmas goods on the same evening, November 27, that the Dressed Circle presented a play, and the proceeds of both are to be devoted to furnishing a room in the new wing of the Lady Minto Gulf Island Hospital.

School Attendance—Total school attendance during October at the city's schools was 5,044. The attendance at the various schools was as follows: North Ward, 293; Oaklands, 238; Pembroke Street, 18; Quadra Street, 156; Rock Park, 44; Sir James Douglas, 404; South Park, 257; Special, 13; Spring Ridge, 142; and Victoria West, 254. In addition to the above, there were 237 students in attendance at the night continuation classes.

Held Donation Party—St. John's branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to Missions, held its annual donation party and sale of work on Tuesday afternoon and evening. Mrs. Scriven opened the sale of work with encouraging remarks, wishing the ladies of St. John's every success. The president, Mrs. H. Walker, and members of the branch, extend their thanks to all those who helped to make the donation party a success by their attendance, and those who were unable to be present, by the offering they sent. Thanks are also extended to Mr. Perry as chairman for the evening, and to the Althea Orchestra, for the splendid musical programme rendered, and to Messrs. Oliver and Crook for vocal solos.

Vagrancy Charges—A number of Chinamen were arraigned in the police court yesterday, charged with vagrancy, having been arrested by the detective as a result of investigations instituted as an outcome of the recent theft of a number of pairs of boots from the store of William McDonald, Government Street. Joe Boy, who was described as a suspicious character, once convicted of theft, and now without work, and apparently not anxious to secure it, denied the allegation. He said that he had been at work at the cement works, that he had been paid \$20, which \$20 was being kept for him by his brother, and that he was an innocent and harmless individual. There being no direct evidence, he was released. So too, it was said, is a professional shoe-shiner, who is a rascal by his practice, it was stated, with King's assistance, to operate in high-class stores, one engaging the clerk's attention while the other appropriated goods. The former got three months, and the latter two months. Yung Goo also was said to be a shoplifter and a thief, at present without apparent means of maintenance. He went to jail for two months. Chan, Yung Wai, and Glim Bue, who are charged with the same offence, and who have been allowed cash bail in \$25 each, will be given a hearing tomorrow.

Indians and Liquor—Lee Wae, a Chinaman, was brought before the police magistrate yesterday morning accused of supplying liquor to Indians. The accusation was the outcome of the tragedy of last Sunday when John Davis, an Indian, lost his life while in a launch in the straits. Lee Wae, who was defended by Mr. R. C. Lowe, pleaded not guilty. Gus Morris, one of the launch party, identified the prisoner as the man from whom he had bought a bottle of whisky for \$1.25. This was corroborated by Martha Williams, a Washington Indian woman. Provincial Constable Robert Owens, who, with Dominion Constable Thomas O'Connell, made the arrest on Tuesday evening on

Pignard Street, explained that they had been preceded by Gus Morris and that Lee Wae had run towards him as though thinking he was about to make another sale. The accused asserted that he knew nothing about it, after which the prosecution called Isidore, a Spanish Indian who is serving a sentence for being in possession of liquor, in rebuttal. He said that Lee Wae gave him the whisky that got him in trouble, and added that he always got the Indians their drinking stuff, which was carried and sent to jail for four months, with hard labor. Gus Morris afterwards was arraigned for supplying Martha Williams with liquor. He pleaded guilty and will spend two months in prison. In the Provincial police court Martha Williams and Gus Morris, the latter being the widow of the lost man, were fined \$5 each for being drunk.

COMING EVENTS

W. C. T. U.—A bazaar will be held under the auspices of the local W. C. T. U. today.

Florence Nightingale Chapter—The Temple Building will be in charge of the Florence Nightingale Chapter, I. O. D. E., tomorrow.

Natural History Society—The Natural History Society's special meeting in the Provincial Library has been postponed to Monday, November 22.

Celebrate With Dance—Victoria Royal Scarlat Chapter will celebrate today, Guy Fawkes Day, with a dance, to be held in Connaught Hall, from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m.

Home Nursing—Members of Dr. Tomblin's class in home nursing are requested to meet at his office, 214 Central Building, today, at 7:30 p.m., for extra instruction.

Welcome Club to Meet—A meeting of the committee of the Victoria Welcome Club for returning soldiers will be held this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, at the Pemberton Block, when matters of importance will be discussed. A large attendance of members is requested.

St. Columba Sale of Work—The Ladies' Aid Society of St. Columba Church intends holding its annual sale of work on Wednesday, November 11, in the lecture room of the church. Afternoon tea will be served, and a musical programme given during the evening.

Society of Friends—At the Friends' Meeting House, Fern Street (off Fort), Mr. Henry Clark will give a series of addresses on "Books of the Bible," illustrated with charts and diagrams, commencing next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock with the subject "Book of Isaiah." The meetings are open to the public.

Young People's Entertainment—An entertainment has been arranged to take place in St. Columba's Church, corner of Mitchell and Granville Streets, Oak Bay, this evening, under the auspices of the Young People's Society. A bright little comedy, entitled, "A Perilous Situation," will be presented, and in addition an excellent programme, including numbers by Mrs. Gleason, J. R. Bryan, E. Petch, and others.

Rowland's Concert Band—The programme to be given by Rowland's Band at Pantages Theatre on Sunday evening promises to equal that of last Sunday. The following will assist: Miss Charlotte Spencer, soprano; Mr. H. J. Davies, baritone; and the Dolly Varden Ladies' String Quartette. The band selections will include, by request, a selection of Scotch airs. The playing of the National Anthem at the beginning of the concert, a custom Mr. Rowland adopted at the beginning of the season, has proved so popular that it will be continued.

Fifth Regiment Band—At next Sunday evening's concert at the Royal Victoria Theatre, the Fifth Regiment Band will be assisted by Miss L. Drinkle, soprano, and the Royal Victoria Theatre orchestra. Bandmaster W. J. Smith has selected a fine programme of band numbers, which will include the "Light Cavalry" overture; two selections, one from "Lucresia Borgia," and one from the "Pink Lady." These concerts all open with a National Anthem of one of the world's most famous composers, and the playing of the British National Anthem, the audience standing during the playing of both. Miss A. Muriel will act as accompanist.

NOTES EXPANSION IN TELEGRAPH BUSINESS

Mr. C. H. Gaunt, General Manager, and Other Officials of Western Union Company, Visit City

Mr. C. H. Gaunt, general manager of the Western Union Telegraph Company, operating here in connection with the Great North-Western Telegraph Company of Canada, was a visitor in the city yesterday, accompanied by several of the principal officials of the company from San Francisco and Seattle. Mr. Gaunt is completing a tour of the Northwest, which has included all of the North Pacific Coast and British Columbia offices. He spoke enthusiastically of the advancement indicated by the heavy increase in telegraph business throughout the United States, which began principally in the East, advancing westward and now moving upon the Coast. This expansion is noticed at Victoria, by an increase of 14 per cent during the last month, as compared with the same period of 1914. The visiting officials expressed themselves in very optimistic terms concerning the future of the company in the West. Mr. Gaunt is very enthusiastic in his expressions with reference to the Canadian exhibit at the San Francisco Exposition, which he believes to be most complete, while the agricultural exhibit, he said, one of the finest of its kind on the grounds.

He has given much attention to the company's equipment in Victoria, and stated that arrangements have been completed to spend several thousand dollars in electrical apparatus to bring the Victoria office up to date in all of its appointments. These improvements will include installation of motor generators, as well as improvements looking to the comfort and convenience of messengers and other employees.

While Mr. Gaunt and his party were on their way from the wharf to the company's office, his attention was called to the fact that two former Great North-Western messenger boys were passing in one of the local units on the march. He later learned that thirteen of the company's messengers had cast their fortunes with the colors for service at the front and expressed much appreciation at this.

The party with Mr. Gaunt consisted of Mr. H. F. Dodge, Assistant General Manager, and Mr. J. L. Ord, Division Plant Superintendent, of San Francisco; Mr. E. Deering, District Commercial Superintendent; Mr. E. L. Ritter, District Plant Superintendent, and Mr. G. D. Hood,

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THE WEATHER

Metereological Office, Victoria, B. C., at 8 p.m. November 4, 1915.

EXPOSURE
The barometer remains abnormally low over Northern British Columbia, and unsettled weather continues in the west. The Rockies, and fair, mild weather continues in the Pacific Provinces.

TEMPERATURE	Min.	Max.
Victoria, B. C.	44	52
Vancouver, B. C.	42	50
Kamloops, B. C.	42	50
Banffville, B. C.	34	42
Prince Rupert, B. C.	36	44
Atlin, B. C.	36	42
Dawson, Y. T.	36	42
Calgary, Alta.	36	42
Winnipeg, Man.	36	42
Portland, Ore.	36	42
San Francisco, Cal.	54	62
Port Arthur, Ont.	36	42
Toronto, Ont.	36	42
Ottawa, Ont.	36	42
Montreal, P. Q.	36	42
St. John, N. B.	36	42
Halifax, N. S.	36	42
Peoria, Ill.	36	42
Nelson, B. C.	36	42

Highest temperature 52, lowest 34, average 42. Minimum on grass 36, on water 36. Maximum in sun 102. Rain, trace; bright sunshine, 1 hour 42 minutes; general state of weather, cloudy.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Worlock will not be at home on Friday afternoon, November 5.

Mrs. R. F. Green, 542 Rupert Street, will receive today and on the first Friday of each month during the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hattie announce the engagement of their daughter, Kathleen, to Mr. Charles Conroy. The marriage is to take place this month.

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Brooms, the famous metal polish; large size. Cash special.....15c	Wine, 50c. Cash special, 3 for.....10c
Small Oil, the best for family use. Cash special, each.....10c	Wine, 50c. Cash special, 3 for.....10c
Small Oil, 6 on sheet, re-tined and heavy. Cash special, 3 for.....10c	Wine, 50c. Cash special, 3 for.....10c
Table Lamp, large glass bowl, complete with large burner and glass. Special, each.....50c	Wine, 50c. Cash special, 3 for.....10c
Small Dishpan, in gray steel ware, 10-qt. size. Cash special, each.....50c	Wine, 50c. Cash special, 3 for.....10c
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Many Office Work
VANCOUVER, B. C., Nov. 4.—The Vancouver office is continuing to increase the work it is doing month by month. For the month which closed on Monday, the total number of deposits was 225, with a value of \$152,052.92. For October, 1914, there were 147 deposits of a value of \$152,441.12. This shows an increase in the number of deposits of 54, and an increase in value of \$152,441.12.

PRaise the Victorians WORK FOR GOOD ROADS

Seattle Motorists Honor Alderman A. E. Todd as Originator of the Great Movement on This Coast.

Tribute to the work which a Victorian has done in initiating on this coast the good roads movement, which has resulted in the construction of the great system of motor highways from the Mexican border to Canada, was paid by Seattle motor enthusiasts at the annual dinner of the Seattle Automobile Association on Wednesday. Commissioner Cuthbert, of the Victoria and Island Development Association, gave an address on the great advantages to be derived by Coast cities through comprehensive publicity methods setting forth the attractions of the Coast as a vacation place for motorists. Judge Ronald, of the State of Washington Supreme Court, pointed out that the members of the club had been doing what the organization had done towards advancing the good roads movement, but the fact was that it had not been for the consistent and energetic work of a Victorian, Alderman A. E. Todd, the man who really initiated the movement. It was more than probable the wonderful system of roads in existence today would still be in prospect rather than an actuality. Judge Ronald regretted that Alderman Todd was not present in person to receive the honor due to him.

Commissioner Cuthbert's address dealt with the attractions of the Pacific Coast to the Eastern tourist. Referring to Vancouver Island, he pointed to the excellent roads, fine scenery and the ideal accommodations. He invited the members of the Seattle club to spend their vacations on the island.

While in Seattle Commissioner Cuthbert discussed a scheme whereby the Coast cities would combine in a great publicity campaign in the East and exploit this territory. Such a scheme would secure the most publicity for the least outlay and would result in a spirit of co-operation between the various cities. A meeting will be held at some future date, when the representatives of the various cities on the North Pacific Coast, the railways and other bodies will get together and further discuss the plan.

Interviews which Commissioner Cuthbert had with representatives of the various railways indicated that they are ready to assist in any such scheme, and, as the railways are now considering their respective publicity campaigns for next year, the promises to the Commissioner that they will make the campaign apply to Victoria was pleasing news to him.

Still another project which Commissioner Cuthbert discussed while in Seattle was that to utilize the National Park Highway, leading to the Coast, to bring eastern motorists this way. Some great effort would have to be made next year to attract tourist traffic as, in view of the heavy travel this year, extra work would be needed to get the easterners to come again. The plan of the association will be wanting. It was in co-operation between all parties interested in securing this traffic that the commissioner believed the best results would be secured.

RELIES ON STATUTE OF WILLIAM IV.

Counsel for Russians Seeking Wages From Railway Company Quotes Truck Act—Asks Court for Redress.

An action was commenced in the Supreme Court yesterday by Messrs. A. Gaffo & Co. and Messrs. A. Macdonald, Ketchik & Co., the former being a group of Russian workmen and the latter the contractors for a part of the Vancouver Island grading in connection with the Canadian Northern Pacific Railway Co. The plaintiffs, who are represented by Mr. W. J. Stacpool, K.C., claim \$7,107.27 and an additional amount of \$225.55 for wages for labor performed. Mr. Stacpool asserted that the men were engaged on July 6, 1914, and were informed that they were \$700 in debt and were offered \$10 to enable them to leave the city.

Counsel stated that he relied on the Truck Act, which had come into force in the reign of William IV. and was embodied in Canadian statutes. It provided that laborers must be paid in current coin of Canada if the labor is performed within three miles of a municipality. He declared that the men had not been paid although the work was done within the specified distance of the city. He said that when his clients went to work they signed an agreement, the contents of which they did not understand and that, when they came to collect their wages, discovered that they had been charged with supplies, etc., in excess of their earnings.

After Mr. H. A. Maclean, K.C., counsel for the defendants, had admitted that the work had been done within the three-mile limit Mr. H. M. Hadley, who had been employed by the contractors, was called. He said that he had supervised the work of Gaffo & Co. After the contract was completed he asked the timekeeper for a statement of their extra work and was informed that it amounted to \$200,000, but on examination of the records it was found to come to \$178. This amount, he said, had been paid to the head contractors, plus ten per cent, and the latter handed it to the sub-contractors. A gang of Austrians, it was stated, had undertaken the work of the Russians but had gone on the job. They had complained about the classification of the work, asserting that the estimate was too small, but he had assured them that he had seen as liberal as possible. One of the Russians had been able to talk English fairly well.

In the afternoon Mr. Gaffo took the stand and, through an interpreter, told his story. He declared that the contents of the agreement were not understood and that it had been signed as a matter of form. Mr. Maclean questioned him with respect to certain supplies which were secured for his men. His Lordship afterwards stated that, if the plaintiffs were asking that the agreement be reformed, which undoubtedly was one feature of their suit, he could not see that there was any evidence that would warrant it. The plea of ignorance was not sufficient. The Russians had come to Canada to do business and it was their duty to see that their interests were conserved. The Court could not make itself their guardian. As to the applicability of the Truck Act he was prepared to hear argument and it was arranged that it should take place this morning.

TOBACCO FOR C.M.R.

Miss Irving, Who Is in Charge of Collections, Will Receive Funds at 802 Broughton Street

In response to an appeal recently made by Mrs. Bott on behalf of the 2nd C. M. R. men for Christmas gifts, Miss Paula Irving is making a collection of funds and presents at 802 Broughton Street.

She would like it to be understood that parcels addressed to individual members of the regiment will not be forwarded. It is felt that tobacco would be the most acceptable gift, and for that reason it is specially desired that cash contributions be sent. Already \$40 or more has been collected, and this will be dispatched on Tuesday to England, where tobacco will be purchased at half price. This plan will save the unnecessary expense of postage charges. Funds will be received until Tuesday evening.

INTEREST GROWS IN SEED CULTURE SCHEME

Belief Expressed That Bright Future Exists for Industry—Development Association Is Preparing for Campaign.

Increasing interest is being shown in the proposal of the Victoria and Island Development Association that the industry of seed culture be placed upon a firm basis here. Since the campaign started numerous expressions of approval by persons interested in the movement have been made to Commissioner Cuthbert and it is certain that next year the industry will have been well launched and from forty to fifty individuals will be growing seeds on a commercial basis. In interesting itself in the scheme the association is carrying out the preliminary work in giving publicity to the possibilities of the industry and adding another means of development to the list of schemes already started.

One lady, who has been a large producer of sweet peas, stated to Commissioner Cuthbert that for some years she had been selling Victoria grown seeds in England, and testimony from this section went of excellent quality.

All persons interested in the seed industry are urged to become members of the local organization which has just been formed, and to send in their names to the offices of the Development Association.

The campaign of the Rotary Club for members for the Development Association is progressing well, and already many lists have been completed of the names of those who have expressed their willingness to become actively associated with the work. It is hoped that enough members will be secured to add \$1,000 per month to the association's revenue through membership fees.

For the campaign which it is intended shall be carried on by the Victoria and Island Development Association in the Prairie section, a large addition to the association's publicity literature will be made. About 40,000 pieces will be issued, to be distributed by mail and in other ways, and 5,000 posters will be printed and spread broadcast through the Prairie Provinces. These posters will deal with railway rates and other information of interest to intending visitors to this Coast.

Many former residents of the Prairie district who are now residing here have supplied Commissioner Cuthbert with names of friends still living east of the mountains. Publicity matter, as well as direct personal letters from the Commissioner, will be sent to these addresses.

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INSIST ON BETTER COMPLIANCE WITH LAW

Licensing Commissioners Issue Warning to Hotel Proprietors That Regulations Must Be More Strictly Observed.

Another warning to proprietors of licensed premises that hereafter greater care in the observance of the liquor regulations must be shown, was given by the Board of Licensing Commissioners yesterday when a special session of the Board, the complaints of the licence inspectors against the Pandora Hotel were heard. Last week the Board suspended the licence of the Pandora Hotel because of infractions of the regulations reported by the inspectors and yesterday's action will add to the warning thus given.

While the Board did not impose any penalty upon the proprietor as no definite breach of the regulations was shown, yet each of the commissioners stated that the evidence of the inspectors showed that the conduct of the premises was not at all satisfactory. During the discussion City Prosecutor Harrison made the statement that the practice of proprietors of hotel grills refusing men liquor was a serious matter. He ordered a meal in nearly all instances the meal amounting to a sandwich—was not living up to the terms of the Act, which states that the meal must be a bona fide one and the sandwich which a patron was virtually forced to take in order not to satisfy hunger, but as an excuse to secure liquor, could in no sense be considered a bona fide meal.

Licence Inspector Gregg submitted a report to the effect that on a recent Sunday he had called at the Pandora Hotel. He saw some men at a doorway leading into the rear of the bar and saw one of them with money in his hand. He did not see money actually pass. The grill itself was crowded with men who were drinking and there were empty plates on the tables which had evidently held food. The inspector gave it as his opinion that the proprietor was not apparently exercising sufficient control of his premises.

Mr. Smith, the proprietor, declared he did not allow liquor to be served without a meal. The men the inspector had seen near the rear door to the bar had not secured liquor though they had asked for it. He had informed them to go to the grill and they could have liquor with their meals. Such meals oftentimes consisted of a sandwich. He had never secured legal advice on the point of what would constitute a meal under the meaning of the Act. He had something like \$24,000 invested in the premises.

Mayor Stewart declared "this sandwich business is being carried out far altogether." Commissioner Forman stated that many complaints had been made concerning the number of drunken men to be seen on the streets on Sundays, and Commissioner Porter declared the licence holders should realize that hereafter the Board intended to be more drastic.

Mayor Stewart stated that the Board fully appreciated the fact that the licencees have invested large sums in their premises to make them comply with the law and that times at present are dull, but the Board has of late been blamed for being too easy and it had decided that the time for more drastic action has arrived.

CONCERT AT ESQUIMALT

Performance Being Given by Red Cross Should Draw Large Audience—Sailors Included on Programme

The entertainment being given this evening under the auspices of the Esquimalt Red Cross Society at the Rex Theatre, Esquimalt Road, promises to attract a very large audience. In view of the excellent programme that has been provided.

The main event of the evening will be the comedy entitled "Mechanical Jinx," which is being presented by Miss Eleanor Hamilton and Miss Marjory Kito. What will prove to be a very considerable attraction is the musical programme which will be rendered by several sailors from the Esquimalt Petty Officer Connolly will sing a solo, as will also Seaman Harding and Stoker Harris, while Petty Officer Bayford will dance a hornpipe and Stoker Bundy, a clog dance. This will be the first time that men from the Newcastle have participated in a theatrical work since their arrival in port. St. Roberts will sing during the evening.

A duet, "Barcarolle," from "The Tales of Hoffman," will be sung by Mrs. Robert Pearce and Miss Peggy Pearce, and Mrs. Baird will also be heard in a vocal solo. Mrs. Pearce will render a violin solo. Entertainment in some form will be provided by sailors from H. M. C. S. Rainbow. Several reels of moving pictures will be shown during the performance under the direction of Mr. Bailey, proprietor of the theatre, while the regular orchestra will be in attendance. At the conclusion of the entertainment a raffle will be conducted. Rev. Father Silver will act as chairman and will announce the various items of the programme.

WELL-KNOWN BROADWAY STAR JOINS UNIVERSAL

Clever London Comedienne Signs Contract to Become a Film Star

Marie Tempest the famous London actress, will appear at the Variety Theatre today and tomorrow in the big Universal film feature, "Mrs. Plum's Fudding." This is but another in the long list of winning celebrities who have left the glare of the footlights to play for the silent drama.

Miss Tempest commenced her career as a musical student and played in the Paris Opera Comique some years ago. Since then she has starred in many comic operas and finally gave up the singing stage to become one of the foremost comedienne of the present age. This clever singing actress has to her credit the starring roles in nearly fifty big comedies, her biggest being "Kitty Carroll in 'The Red House,'" Nell Gwyn in "English Nell," Polly-Becies in a revival of "Caste," Kitty Silverton in "The Marriage of Kitty," Peggy O'Mara in "All of a Sudden Peggy," Rocky Sharp in "Vanity Fair," and in the all-star revival of "London Assurance," given in aid of King George's Actors' Pension Fund, in London.

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HOLD FUNERAL OF ESTEEMED RESIDENT

Obsequies of Mr. Albert Toller Occasion for Demonstration of Respect From Many Friends

The remains of the late Mr. Albert Toller were borne to their last rest yesterday morning, the funeral starting at the family residence, "Eyre," Laurel Lane, St. Charles Street, at 10 o'clock. A short service was held at Christ Church Cathedral, and there was an exceptionally large attendance of friends of the deceased gentleman, a fact which testified to the high esteem in which he was held.

The pallbearers were Messrs. A. T. Goward, H. A. Goward, C. W. Thornton, E. W. Beale, R. Grubb and A. F. Brown. Interment took place at Ross Bay cemetery.

ROTARY CLUB HOLDS CENTURY LUNCHEON

Mock Trial of Delinquent Draws Attention to Some of the Obligations of Membership

The one hundredth meeting in Rotary of the Victoria Club was marked by an entertainment of an unusual character, being quite a departure from the presentation of serious subjects such as have of late made Rotary meetings a factor for public good. It was made the occasion of a mock trial which, though frivolous in character, served to emphasize the seriousness of membership in the club. Rotarian Judge P. C. Abell presided. His charge to the jury, and later, his pronouncement of the sentence, showed a full understanding of Rotary law. His interpretation of leniency as recommended by the jury would commend him also as a wise judge.

Nine members of the club were charged as a body of having been delinquent in attendance at meetings, as prescribed by the rules, and of being otherwise lax in expressing the spirit of the organization. James Hunter acted as prosecuting attorney, and W. H. P. Sweeney was bailiff, with assistant cap and long sword. The accused not being represented by counsel, the court appointed J. D. O'Connell to defend them.

The jury empaneled to weigh the guilt of the accused was composed of the twelve members showing the best percentages for attendance, all being

over 80 per cent. Mr. C. Denham was foreman of the jury.

The efforts of the defending counsel to break down the testimony of Captain J. T. Goodfellow, secretary of the club, and the chief witness for the prosecution, failed to impress the jury, who brought in a verdict of "guilty in the first degree," with a recommendation for leniency. Judge Abell, in passing sentence, told the defendants that the verdict would be interpreted, according to Rotary law, "to be hanged," but that he would gladly take advantage of the annexed recommendation, and would sentence them as a body to prepare the programme for the meeting to be held two weeks hence.

This meeting was the most successful from the point of attendance of members of any held yet. There are now 105 members in the club, and 78 of them were at yesterday's luncheon. Next week the club will be addressed by Mr. George L. Clayton, a consulting engineer of Tripoli, Egypt, who will tell how that city has gained control of the fresh fish business of this coast.

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CLAIMS BRITAIN IS ORDAINED NATION

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Professor Odum, of Vancouver, addressed a crowded house last evening at the Old Victoria Theatre on the relationship between the British nation and the chosen people of Israel. The address was listened to with great interest and the large audience was much impressed with some of the statements made.

Mr. E. Middleton took the chair and with a few brief introductory remarks opened the meeting by summing up the achievements of the speaker for the evening. The lecture was given for the benefit of the Red Cross Society and the Victoria Patriotic Aid Society.

In beginning his address, Professor Odum mentioned the fact that the nations of today were descended from the nations of yesterday and that they all had their origin in Asia. It was only natural that one would rather have descended from the race which, in the olden days, was immeasurably more advanced than the others.

The only nation that had been deemed efficient and capable of carrying the Word was the Hebrew nation, which had been chosen by the Almighty to carry the perpetual covenant. From the Jewish race, according to Professor Odum, the British were indirectly sprung.

The Hebrew name for Isaac, said the professor, was really Sahak, and there was reason to believe that Sahak's sons were the ancestors of the Saxons of the present day. To Sahak's sons was given the Holy Covenant in the knowledge that they would uphold it throughout their generations. The British were undoubtedly the Saxon nation, if there was any, and it was therefore evident that they were carrying out the demands put upon the Israelites. All Saxons, whether of Britain or of Saxony, were brothers and they would unite at some future time.

The Prussians were exactly opposite to the Saxons in that they were descended from the Asiatic hordes, which never were given any sacred trust.

Professor Odum analyzed the word "British," stating that "Brit" was Hebrew for "man," and that "ish" was Hebrew for "governor." The British were the governors of man, the bearers

of the covenant. He also showed that Joseph had been given the control of the deep by the Divine Ruler. Britain now was mistress of the seas. By analyzing the derivation of other words, he showed that there was a striking similarity, if not significant meaning, in them. He maintained that Britain had been ordained the permanent custodian of all that was right and foretold the utter destruction of her opponents.

Professor Odum will speak at 8 o'clock tonight at the Old Victoria Theatre on "Edom and Assyria," and will trace the descent of the Germans and Turks. The 8th Fusiliers Band will be in attendance.

Serbian Women Fighting
LONDON, Nov. 4.—There were nearly 2,000 women in Serbia's army when I left and more women soldiers were being organized," said Dr. Gutlich, a Serbian army doctor, in London today.

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Total, \$7,020.34.

Prisoners of War Fund: Mrs. Dunsmuir, \$50; Miss Pauline Lange, \$5; Mrs. J. Carmichael, \$1.

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Socks were received from Lady Emily Walker, Mrs. Marwick, Mrs. Dark, Mrs. H. C. Catterall, Mrs. Collins, Mrs. Jensen, Mrs. Buchanan Briscoe, Miss Adair, Miss Nora Jones, Mrs. Gonnason, Mrs. Cooksey, Mrs. Hood, Mrs. Bassett, Mrs. McRae, Mrs. Stephenson, Miss McCannell, Miss Neame, Mrs. J. Todson, Mrs. Bishop, Miss Schofield, Miss Templeman.

Ward slippers were received from Mrs. Lund, Mrs. W. Acton; mitts from Mrs. Nicholson, Mrs. Goodlake, Mrs. Bassett, Mrs. Lees, Mrs. Phipps, Miss Elworthy, Miss Bishop and Mrs. Small. Scarves from Mrs. Hanson, Mrs. Bas-



MISS CHARLOTTE WALKER AT ROYAL VICTORIA THEATRE

If you wish to see a good picture, pay a visit to the Royal Victoria Theatre today or tomorrow and see Charlotte Walker in "Out of Darkness." Miss Walker is well-known in Victoria for her splendid performance as June in "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine," which played at the Royal Victoria Theatre in one of the best road attractions that was booked in the above theatre last season. The production is described as a "photoplay of exciting situations and thrilling scenes." It is all of that and a little more. The plot deals with

sett, Mrs. McRae, Mrs. R. T. Elliott, Miss Carr and Miss Neame; face cloths from Miss Jessie Widdowson, Miss Agnes Spencer, Miss Agnes Turnbull, Miss Oldfield, Miss Jones, Mrs. Fleet Robertson, the Misses Davidson, Miss Kathleen Tobin, Mrs. Nicholson, Mrs. R. T. Elliott, and Mrs. H. Catterall; handkerchiefs from Miss Oldfield, Mrs. H. Catterall; roller bandages from Miss Walker.

For kit bags: Soap, Mrs. Robertson; paper and envelopes, Mrs. Parker Hibben; baby's coat, Auld Beekie; belts, Mrs. Collins; picolo, Mrs. Beckton; old linen, Mrs. Mallandaine, Mrs. Hopkins and Mrs. Abbey.

There was a fully attended meeting of the general committee on Friday last. This committee will meet monthly at the Temple building during the winter on the last Friday in each month at 4 p.m., when all members are urged to attend.

The executive meets weekly on Friday at 4 p.m., when all collections and returns should be made to be included in the weekly press reports by that day.

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Total, \$7,956.34.

Prisoners of War Fund: Mrs. Dunsen, \$50; Miss Pauline Lange, \$5; Mrs. J. Carmichael, \$1.

Total, \$56.

Supplies have been received from the following and are gratefully acknowledged by the work committee: Ganges Chapter, \$1 bandages, \$50; Bandages, 17 binders, 1 nightshirt, 1 pajamas, 25 roller bandages, children's clothing and old linen; Allies Chapter—13 surgical

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Socks were received from Lady Emily Walker, Mrs. Marwick, Mrs. Dark, Mrs. H. C. Catterall, Mrs. Collins, Mrs. Jensen, Mrs. Buchanan Briscoe, Miss Adair, Miss Nora Jones, Mrs. Gannon, Mrs. Cookley, Mrs. Hood, Mrs. Bassett, Mrs. McRae, Mrs. Stephenson, Miss McCall, Miss Neame, Mrs. J. Todson, Mrs. Bishop, Miss Schofield, Miss Templeman.

Ward slippers were received from Mrs. Lund, Mrs. W. Acton; mitts from Mrs. Nicholson, Mrs. Goodlake, Mrs. Bassett, Mrs. Lees, Mrs. Phipps, Miss Elworthy, Miss Bishop and Miss Small. Scarves, from Mrs. Hanson, Mrs. Bas-

sett, Mrs. McRae, Mrs. R. T. Elliott, Miss Carr and Miss Neame; face cloths from Miss Jessie Widdowson, Miss Agnes Spencer, Miss Agnes Turnbull, Miss Oldfield, Miss Jones, Miss Fleet Robertson, the Misses Davidson, Miss Kathleen Tobin, Mrs. Nicholson, Mrs. R. T. Elliott, and Mrs. H. Catterall; handkerchiefs from Miss Oldfield, Mrs. H. Catterall; roller bandages from Miss Walker.

For kit bags: Soap, Mrs. Robertson; paper and envelopes, Mrs. Parker; ribbon, baby's coat, Auld Reekie; bolts, Mrs. Collins; picnic, Mrs. Beckton; old linen, Mrs. Mallandaine, Mrs. Hopkins and Mrs. Abbey.

There was a fully attended meeting of the general committee on Friday last. This committee will meet monthly at the Temple building during the winter on the last Friday in each month at 4 p.m., when all members are urged to attend.

The executive meets weekly on Friday at 4 p.m., when all collections and returns should be made to be included in the weekly press reports by that day.

The public are very sincerely thanked for the great sympathy and interest shown, both by cash contributions and willing service in the work room and other departments. Volunteers are always welcome.

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WEEK OF NOVEMBER 1

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With a Chorus of Charming Girls, in

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SOLDIERS WILL BE GUESTS OF Y.M.C.A.

Local Association Will Have Open House for All Men in Uniform—Regimental Basketball Match Arranged

All arrangements have been completed for the entertainment to be given the soldiers tonight at the Y. M. C. A. A general invitation has been extended to the different units camped at the Willows, and a large turnout of soldiers is expected.

The five and drum band of the 88th Fusiliers will be in attendance. As soon as the men enter the lobby they will be met by a committee of twenty members, who will show them over the building. After this tour of inspection they will be taken to the gymnasium, where an interesting programme of competitive games will be run off by the soldiers themselves, under the leadership of Physical Director Hodges. A basketball game between the 47th Regiment and the 88th Regiment, which will be played in the gymnasium, is arousing a great deal of interest among the men, and should prove an exciting contest. Immediately after the men will gymnasium programme, the men will be taken to the swimming bath, where the members of the Boys' Division will put on an interesting swimming gala. Refreshments will then be served. Every man in uniform is heartily welcome.

POPULAR CRICKETER LEAVING FOR FRONT

Lieut. Westwood, of Fifth Regiment, Has Been Attached to 47th Battalion Under Col. Winsby

Another of Victoria's prominent athletes will leave for the front on Saturday, when Lieut. Westwood, of the Fifth Regiment, crosses over to Vancouver in order to depart with the 47th Battalion under Lt.-Col. Winsby, when that force leaves Vancouver for Europe.

Lieut. Westwood received his commission in the Fifth last Summer, and has been recently taking the course of instruction for officers at Work Point. His prowess as a cricketer is well known to all Victoria cricketers, and he was both a bowler and a batsman having been of great value, not only to his regimental club but also to the Mainland representative cricketers in two of the series of three inter-city matches played last Summer. The Fifth Regiment lost his services on the cricket field for a considerable while during the season, when he met with

an unfortunate accident which confined him to the hospital for some weeks. Lieut. Westwood has long been anxious to get to the front, and seized the opportunity which presented itself to become attached to the Overseas Battalion under Col. Winsby, which is expected to leave for the front before very long.

All good cricketers, as well as a host of other friends, will unite in wishing Lieut. Westwood the best of luck and a safe return.

REVOLUTION IN WINNIPEG SOCCER

Winners of Connaught Cup Break Away From Manitoba Football Association—Other Teams Follow Suit

WINNIPEG, Nov. 4.—Winnipeg is now in the throes of a soccer revolution, headed by Dan McNeill, president of the Winnipeg Soccer Union, winners of the Connaught Cup, and lately principals in the Manitoba Football Association.

Winnipeg Scottish are joined by the Celtic Club and advise any others are to follow. If the movement comes to maturity, it will be known as the City of Winnipeg Amateur Football Association. The old Winnipeg and District League or the M. P. A. do not look with favor on the new move, and are expected to declare their outlaws.

This raises an interesting point for the D. F. A. officials—can the Connaught Cup be held by a club that is forming a new body? If the matter goes much further the Manitoba Football Association may, at the request of the D. F. A., call in the silverware, but as the snow flurries are hovering about the land, perhaps it is all "atopposite" talk.

HOCKEY DIRECTORS MEET NEXT WEEK

N.H.A. Will Discuss Controversy With P.C.H.A.—No Further Developments in Quorum

MONTREAL, Nov. 4.—T. Emmet Quinn, president of the National Hockey Association, states that the meeting of the N. H. A. to consider a scheduled and discuss the controversy with the P. C. H. A. will be held early next week. It had been understood the meeting was called for the latter part of this week.

One of the directors of the N. H. A. is credited with the statement that this season's schedule would probably show an innovation for the N. H. A. An effort will be made to arrange it so that each team will play alternately at home and in the territory of another club, which plan it is thought will add considerably to the interest in the championship race.

BILLY WEEKS TO BOX IN TACOMA

TACOMA, Wash., Nov. 4.—Billy Weeks, of Vancouver, B. C., middleweight champion of Canada and the Northwest, and Ed Gotchy, Southwest Washington champion, will box four rounds here the night of November 11 in the main event of the smoker under the Fall revival of boxing in Tacoma. Four-round bouts are the limit. Sammy Good and Joe Hennessey, popular welterweight boxers, will appear in the second most important event.

WILL PLAY FOR CUP ON OAK BAY LINKS

Tomorrow afternoon play starts over the Oak Bay Golf links in the competition for the Challenger and Mitchell Cup. All entrance fees will go to the Patriotic Fund. By the conditions governing the contest players will choose their own partners and the first sixteen in the opening round will qualify for the second round. Those qualifying will draw partners for the second round.

PROMINENT HORSEMAN RETIRE FROM GAME

John W. Considine Has Turned Over His String of Trotters and Pacers to Seattle Men

According to word received from California, John W. Considine, one of the most prominent harness racing patrons on the Coast, has turned over his extensive string of trotters and pacers at the Woodland Stock Farm to C. A. Harrison, a well known Seattle horseman.

The retirement of Mr. Considine will be viewed with regret by Coast horsemen. He was one of the leaders in this branch of sport for years, maintaining for a long time a stable of trotters and pacers that figured in the races on Northwest and California circuits. He also maintained a breeding establishment at Woodland, and staged several race meets on this Coast.

Mr. C. A. Harrison, who has taken over Mr. Considine's string of horses, has figured in Northwest harness racing for some time. He is at present in Seattle.

John Considine's breeding establishment boasts of the finest band of brood mares on the Pacific Coast. He formerly had an extensive string of race horses, but in recent months has disposed of a number of them. The Considine string (24½) that is the pacing sensation on the California circuit in 1914, but sold her to W. G. Durfee.

HEAVYWEIGHTS MAY MEET IN MONTREAL

MONTREAL, Nov. 4.—The much-talked-of and heartily desired pugilistic battle for supremacy between the two negro heavyweights, Jack Johnson and Sam Langford, may be held before long, either in Montreal, Sydney, N. S. W., or London, England.

Richard Klein, of international renown as a sport promoter, admitted in an interview here yesterday that he is looking over the field in Montreal, after having already investigated possibilities in London and Sydney. He said that he has a guarantee that the two men will meet under his direction at one of the three places named, and was investigating the possibility of holding the contest in Montreal after allying up the possibilities of London and Sydney.

"Montreal appeals to me," he said, "because of its proximity to near all the big cities, from which, no doubt, large numbers of spectators would come to see this contest."

The match, Mr. Klein stated, would be of twenty rounds duration, for a definite share of the gate receipts, this latter amount to be divided so that the winner would receive 75 and the loser 25 per cent of the net receipts. Part of the receipts might go to the Prince of Wales Fund.

Gymnasium Opened

A special concert programme was given in the evening of the First Presbyterian Church on Wednesday evening, under the direction of Mr. J. G. Brown, and under the auspices of the Athletic Association of the church. Soloists, trios, duets, quartets and recitations given by the following ladies and gentlemen, proved exceedingly enjoyable: Mrs. Hudson, Miss Harkness, Mrs. Lewis Hall, Messrs. S. F. Watson, Jas. Petrie, Jackson Hanby, Jos. Walker and J. G. Brown. Rev. Mr. Inkster occupied the chair.

After the concert an exhibition match of basketball was played between First Church senior team and the Metropolitan Methodist Church senior team, resulting in a win for First Church by 30 to 25. The game was fast and exciting, but clean, very few fouls being given. This game was the formal opening of the new gymnasium, and many complimentary remarks were heard from the audience and players on the fine gymnasium and other equipment.

Team for Saturday

The following team has been selected to represent the Sir John Jackson's against the 88th Regiment at the Willows tomorrow: G. Lomas; T. Sheriff and J. Tomlinson; M. P. Green; J. Green; J. Allen; J. McGregor; G. Nichol; E. Bridges; E. Grant and D. Douglas. Reserves—C. Thomas and A. Kerley.

Cargo Catches Fire

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—Fire was discovered in the cargo of sugar on the British steamer Euterpe at her dock tonight. Captain T. Smith believes the fire was incendiary and was started by some inflammable material placed in the bags of sugar before they were loaded. The damage to the British steamer, which was consigned to the vessel \$1,000. The Euterpe was to have sailed on Saturday.

STRAWBERRY CROP

Competition in Spanish, Held Under Auspices of Department of Agriculture, Won by W. J. Kedingham

The fruit-growers at Keatings, who are incorporated under the name of the South Spanish Fruit Growers' Association, held their second strawberry crop competition this year. This competition calls for the best strawberry patch quarters in extent, and judged on the following points: Fertilizer, 10; weeds, 8; even stand, 10; bloom and vigor, 15; cultivation, 15; moisture, 10; berry, 25; blemishes, 10.

This competition was held under the auspices of the Department of Agriculture, Horticultural Branch. Prizes to the amount of \$15.50 were given by the Horticultural Branch and divided among the first five growers. The winners were: First, W. J. Kedingham, score, 92 1/2; second, O. E. Cruise, score, 91 3/4; third, P. Holloway, score, 88 5/8; fourth, H. H. Sutton, score, 84; fifth, Chas. McCarthy, score, 77 3/4.

These competitions are open to any institute or group of fruit-growers who have strawberry patches quarter-acre in extent, and when eight or more growers are willing to enter.

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STRONG ACTIVE MARKET FOR STOCKS

General Advance Is Induced by
Favorable Domestic News
and Other Factors—Rail-
way Earnings Better.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—Apart from the continued activity in the war shares, and the strength of investment stocks, and the feature of today's active market was the unusual prominence of minor low-priced issues of various descriptions. Among the issues that were numerous securities whose value is yet to be determined, and in which the rise was evidently of professional origin. Sentiment was decidedly more cheerful, the European situation, involving the fall of the Greek ministry, being ignored, in the presence of further domestic advances of an encouraging character. This condition was once more found in the reflection of better railway earnings, higher prices for steel and copper, and resumption of dividends of industrial companies, including American Cotton Oil, which today declared a quarterly disbursement of 1 per cent after an interim of four years. Virtually every branch of the stock list was included today's advance, but copper was most conspicuous, as the market made a new record on its rise of 4 points, to 86.

Dealings in anaconda were almost on the largest scale ever registered by that stock. Other metal shares advanced 1 to 2 points. All the telegraph and telephone shares added to their recent gains, Western Union gaining 3 points, at 20, its high figure for the last nine years, but losing much ground on profit taking. The war stocks were again heavy at first, but made full recovery after the final dealings. United States Steel rose 1½, to 88, but there, too, realizing sales were effective, the stock closing at 87½.

C. P. R. was the only high class railway stock to lag, but its subordination was higher, Granger and some of the Pacifics as well as the more obscure Western and Southwestern shares, were higher by 1 to 2 points. Total sales, 1,020,000 shares.

The bond market was steady. Total sales, par value, \$7,550,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

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Alaska Gold	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Alta-Chambers	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
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MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, Nov. 4.—Butter is quiet, and the undertone easy. Inquiry for cheese is fairly good, and the market strong. The demand for eggs is good. Cheese—Pineapple, 19½ to 17; finest Easterns, 15½ to 16.

Butter—Choice creamery, 22 to 22½; seconds, 21½ to 21.

Eggs—Fresh, 42; selected, 33; No. 1 stock, 36.

Pork—Heavy Canada short meat, 27½; Canada short cut back, 27½.

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET

WINNIPEG, Nov. 4.—Winnipeg wheat closed 1½ to 1½ higher; oats closed unchanged to ½ higher, and flax closed 1½ to 2½ higher. The wheat market during the early days of the week. At about 12:10, fluctuations were in on all the months, top figures touched being 10½ for November, 9½ for December, and 10½ for May. Oats opened ½ higher on November, 1½ higher on December, and unchanged for higher on May. Following fluctuations were within narrow limits. Flax opened ½ higher on the nearby months and 1½ higher on May. Exporters were said to be big buyers of futures, and new sales to the amount of 400,000 bushels were claimed to be worked.

The cash demand was not quite so keen and the premium was down to 2½ over November for No. 1 Northern. The grades most in demand were No. 1, 2 and 3 Northern and tough wheat. Oats and barley were strong. Flax also showed advance following the opening. There was quite an upward

turn in prices from around 12:30, and higher prices resulted.

The total inspections yesterday were 2,514 cars, as against 442 cars a year ago. Of that number, 1,943 cars were wheat, probably the record for one day's inspection of wheat. The total number of contract grades was 1,632 cars.

	Open	Close
Nov.	100 1/2	101 1/2
Dec.	96 1/2	97 1/2
May	100 1/2	101 1/2
Nov.	41 1/2	41 1/2
Dec.	37 1/2	37 1/2
May	40	40
Nov.	61	61 1/2

	Open	Close
Nov.	172 1/2	174 1/2
Dec.	170 1/2	171 1/2
May	177 1/2	177 1/2
Nov.	103 1/2	104 1/2
Dec.	98 1/2	99 1/2
May	103 1/2	104 1/2
Nov.	4 1/2	4 1/2
Dec.	4 1/2	4 1/2
May	4 1/2	4 1/2

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISION MARKET

(Published by F. W. Stevenson & Co.)	High	Low	Close
Wheat	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Dec.	96 1/2	96 1/2	96 1/2
May	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Nov.	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Dec.	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
May	40	40	40
Nov.	61	61 1/2	61 1/2

NEW YORK CURB MARKET

(Published by F. W. Stevenson & Co.)	High	Low	Close
Amn. Marconi	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
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VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE

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LOCAL MARKETS

	High	Low	Close
Beef, 8 lb. round	10	10	10
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Beet, 8 lb. round	10	10	10
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English Saucepans, regular 55c, for	28c
English Saucepans, regular 60c, for	33c
English Saucepans, regular 65c, for	39c
English Saucepans, regular \$1.10, for	66c
English Saucepans, regular \$1.30, for	72c
English Saucepans, regular \$1.65, for	98c
English Stew Pans, regular \$1.25, for	66c
English Stew Pans, regular \$1.35, for	72c
English Tea Kettles, regular \$1.35, for	78c
English Tea Kettles, regular \$1.65, for	98c
English Tea Kettles, regular \$1.80, for	\$1.15
Infants' Baths, regular \$2.50, for	\$1.50
Coal Hods, regular 50c, for	30c
Covered Roasting Pans, regular 70c, for	42c
Covered Roasting Pans, regular \$1.00, for	62c

Aluminum Ware

About one hundred pieces to be closed out today, consisting of rice boilers, saucepans, stew kettles, etc.

A Few Lines of Cutlery

Which are exceptional values. On sale today.

ABOUT 250 KITCHEN KNIVES AT LOW PRICES

Genuine French Cooks' Knives, regular 30c, for	17c
Genuine French Cooks' Knives, regular 35c, for	19c
Genuine French Cooks' Knives, regular 40c, for	22c
Genuine French Cooks' Knives, regular 60c, for	38c
English Butcher Knives, regular 30c, for	19c

325 PAIRS OF SCISSORS IN THIS LOT

Black Handled Scissors, regular 50c, for	28c
Black Handled Scissors, regular 60c, for	32c
Black Handled Scissors, regular 65c, for	34c
Black Handled Scissors, regular 70c, for	46c
Black Handled Scissors, regular 90c, for	54c
Black Handled Scissors, regular \$1.10, for	68c
69 Only Razors, regular \$2.00, for	\$1.08
60 Only Ironing Boards, regular 90c, for	32c

Builders' Hardware

One of the finest lines in the West to choose from.

Front Door Sets, regular \$18.00 each, for	\$9.15
Front Door Sets, regular \$3.50 each, for	\$1.90
Front Door Sets, regular \$3.00 each, for	\$1.62
Inside Sets, regular \$2.50 each, for	\$1.30
Inside Sets, regular \$1.00 each, for	48c
Inside Sets, regular 75c each, for	38c
Loose Pin Butts, 4 x 4, regular 30c per pair, for	16c
Loose Pin Butts, 3 x 3, regular 20c per pair, for	12c
Casement Adjusters, regular 50c each, for	27c
Sash Fasteners, regular 20c each, for	11c
Flush Sash Lifts, regular 35c each, for	17c
Cupboard Catches, regular 10c each, for	6c
Chain Bolts, regular 90c each, for	48c
Barrel Bolts, regular 10c each, for	6c
Floor Hinges, regular \$1.25 each, for	68c
Nails, all kinds and sizes, per lb.	3c

You Can Buy the Lines Advertised Here at Any Hardware Store, but Not at These Prices

Thousands of Other Lines
We Take and Give Cents

B.C. HARDWARE CO.
717 Fort Street

KING APPEARED BADLY INJURED

Officer of Military Mounted
Police Speaks of Accident—
Unable to Find Doctor to At-
tend His Majesty.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—A letter from Col. Fred Clark, of the military mounted police in France, describes his futile gallop for two miles when King George was injured. He says:
"The horse started kicking as the King lay on the ground, but several of the staff officers ran and picked the King up. They then laid him down again a little distance away. One of them ran up to me and said, breathlessly, 'Go find a doctor; ride like—' I went on a straight gallop for two miles, but could not find a doctor anywhere. They were all out on duty with their regiments. So I returned and reported I could not find one."
"They then picked the King up again and carried him to his motor car. He had been lying on the ground about ten minutes, evidently rather seriously injured. I happened to be the only man there except the King's escort."

SIR EDWARD'S MISTAKE

Former Attorney-General Appears to
Have Spoken Without Full Know-
ledge of Circumstances

LONDON, Nov. 4.—Premier Asquith's speech in the House of Commons has brought about a triangular argument of personalities which promises diverting developments. Sir Edward Carson and Lord Northcliffe completes the trio, in which the Prime Minister figures as undoubtedly the most happy in securing the confidence of his countrymen.
Sir Edward, who, since his resignation from the Cabinet has been painted by his friends as the strong, silent man for whom the nation has been looking to control its destinies, made a clear bid for the post, which he spoke of as "the leadership of the Opposition" in the House, where there is no regularly constituted anti-Government party. His speech at first was listened to sympathetically; it ended in bewildering the House. He taxed the Cabinet with having no plan to deal with the Balkan situation. Members openly thanked heaven that the Government had refused to have anything to do with Sir Edward Carson's plans, which amounted to little more than the coercion of Greece.
John Redmond neatly hit off the situation when he asked Premier Asquith if he was not sorry he had not followed Mr. Redmond's advice not to include any Irish leader in the coalition Cabinet.
Sir Edward Grey completed the rout of Sir Edward Carson by pointing out that the latter had completely misunderstood certain phases of the international situation.
"Mr. Asquith's speech yesterday was a reply to The Daily Mail," wrote Lord Northcliffe in that paper today.

Conservative Nomination

GEORGETOWN, P. E. I., Nov. 4.—James A. McIsaac, editor of The Charlottetown Herald, was nominated at Georgetown yesterday as Conservative candidate for the Federal constituency of Kings, succeeding A. L. Fraser, who was appointed King's County Court judge. Mr. McIsaac won the nomination on a ballot vote over J. A. McDonald, of Charlottetown, former member of the Matheson Government, defeated in the last election for the Legislature.

Strike in Toronto

TORONTO, Nov. 4.—The strike begun on Tuesday of employees of the Hydro-Electricity Company of Toronto is still in force, but the system, according to General Manager Cousens of the commission's street car and electric lighting services, is running without any trouble. Clerks replaced the men who left their work to force immediate acceptance of a majority arbitration award of 10 per cent increase in pay. Out of the 225 men on the payroll seventy are still at their posts, Mr. Cousens said.

Dr. Freedland Dead

OTTAWA, Nov. 4.—Dr. Anthony Freedland, Collector of Inland Revenue for Ottawa, died suddenly last night. He was one of the leaders in the fight against the famous bi-lingual resolution of the Ontario Education Department, and a member of the separate School Board, which was replaced by the Ontario Government Commission. He was in his 56th year.

Report Corrected

OTTAWA, Nov. 4.—The Government today sent a cable to the office of the High Commissioner in England, denying reports circulated in England as to recent losses by prairie fires in Western Canada. The cable stated that the area burned over was 12,000 acres and the loss \$100,000. Recent reports in England stated that 400 square miles had been burned over and that there had been heavy loss both of property and life.

Relief for Belgium

LONDON, Nov. 4.—The Lord Mayor of London is inviting every major of the Empire to assist in collecting 3,000,000 sixpences on November 15—King Albert's fete day—toward relieving the Belgian King's distressed subjects. The Canadian agents-general in London are cabling the appeal to their respective governments.

King Peter Goes to Front

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 4.—An official Bulgarian statement received here today from Sofia says King Peter of Serbia has gone to the front to encourage his soldiers and take them the news that French and British forces are hastening to their assistance.

Killed in Motor Accident

SASKATOON, Nov. 4.—John O'Connell, traveller for the J. I. Case Threshing Machine Co., was instantly killed today near Vonda, when a motor car in which he was riding turned turtle. The other occupants of the car escaped with slight injuries.

Admiral on Half Pay

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 5.—The Kron Zeitung, a copy of which has been received here, says Admiral von Capelle, director of the Administration Department of the German Admiralty, has been placed on half pay.

Lord Aberdeen's Reply

TORONTO, Nov. 4.—To an inquiry sent by Mrs. Willsoughby Cummings, secretary of the National Council of Women, following a report that Lady Aberdeen had presided at a peace conference in San Francisco, Viscount Aberdeen has replied by telegraph: "Lady Aberdeen, at San Francisco, presided at a conference under the auspices of the National Council of Women of the United States. The subject of peace was not on the programme, and was not mentioned at the meeting. There was a conference about peace a fortnight ago, with which this week's congress had no connection whatever."

Windsor Hotelmen Complain

WINDSOR, Ont., Nov. 4.—The hotelmen of Windsor have decided to send a vigorous protest to the Ontario government, praying that they be allowed to keep their bars open until 10 o'clock at night. They assert that the 8 o'clock closing order has resulted only in Windsor bar patrons crossing to Detroit after that hour and spending money over the bars which, they claim, should be spent in Windsor. They are compiling statistics in support of their contention, which they will submit to the government, along with their protest.

As Unknown Blake

TORONTO, Nov. 4.—J. Stevenson Blake, described in dispatches from Montreal as a citizen of Toronto, who aroused the ire of the mayor of Montreal by cancelling a donation of \$1,000 to the Montreal fund for the British Red Cross until a letter he wrote Mayor Martin, charging the French-Canadians are not doing their duty to the Empire in this war, was answered, does not appear to be known here. His name is not in the city directory, and the well-known family of Blakes disclaim knowledge of him.

Patriotic Gift

OTTAWA, Nov. 4.—Hon. J. D. Hazen has received a letter from E. A. Southey, lighthouse keeper at Westport, Digby County, N. S., authorizing him to deduct \$100 from his salary during this year and 1916, to be used at his discretion for war purposes. As Mr. Southey receives a salary of only \$520 a year, this is probably the most generous gift yet received by the Government.

French Aviators Burned to Death

PARIS, Nov. 5.—Two aeroplanes collided while making a landing at La Bourget. They caught fire, and the four aviators manning the machines were burned to death.

The honor of Greece is at stake. You may be certain that it will not be betrayed. Nor, indeed, has there ever been at bottom the slightest wavering about the Greek people.—Venizelos.

Prohibition Plebiscite

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Nov. 4.—The prohibition plebiscite took place today. The supporters of the movement are confident of success. The count, however, does not begin until tomorrow.

TRIBAL "LASHKARS" PROMPTLY DISPERSED

Protectors of Indian Frontiers No Longer
Give Safe Opportunity to
Bather Booty

Experience has taught the wardens of the Indian marches that the most effective method of defense, in dealing with the unruly tribes on the northwest frontier, is to attack, says a special letter. During the past six months there have been many collisions between British troops and tribal "lashkars" at various points on the border, and a common feature of all these encounters is that the British have apparently been the aggressors. The uninitiated observer might be forgiven for imagining that the generals commanding the first and other divisions in this region must be very quarrelsome fellows; for no sooner does an assemblage of tribesmen take place, to the number of 4,000 to 10,000 in the neighborhood of a British outpost, than a whole expedition is launched at it, and it is driven back into the mountains, almost invariably with heavy losses. Occasionally the lashkar has put itself clearly in the wrong by beginning hostilities, but at other times the tribesmen might conceivably plead that they meant absolutely no harm. Possibly they had only collected for purposes of mining or geological investigation, and if there did happen to be a crowd of them, and if they were armed to the teeth, well, that is how botanical or geographical surveys are carried out on the frontier!

The guardians of the marches, however, know better. They know quite well that when the tribesmen suspend their chronic quarrels among themselves to collect in large numbers in the vicinity of a British outpost, they are only one object in view, and that is mischief. So, in the same way that Dr. Johnson was prompted to thrash any three boys whom he found talking together ("for depend upon it, sir, they are either plotting mischief, or they are actually engaged in mischief, or they have just been engaged in mischief"), the moment a tribal lashkar shows itself anywhere near the British side of the line, it is promptly set about and forced to disperse. This, it may be noted, is a comparatively new departure. Twenty years ago it was the practice of the Indian authorities to wait until a given number of Indian villages had been burned down, sometimes until Peshawar itself was threatened, before they began to move. By that time the tribesmen had collected all the booty they wanted and had retired to their mountain fastnesses unscathed. The new policy may be said to date from the time when Lord Curzon carved out the Northwest Frontier province, and made the governor thereof a soldier who had fought the tribes all his life.

Another affair of this description has just taken place near Hafe Kor, in the lower Gander valley. Some 10,000 Mohmands had collected at this point, obviously for no peaceful purpose, and before they could even begin to assert themselves, they were attacked by the first division under General Campbell. They seem to have put up a determined fight, but were eventually driven off to the hills, and the completeness of their defeat was evidenced by the fact that they made no attempt to molest the British column on its return march. The following day the first division again moved out to the scene of the encounter, but not a Mohmand was seen, and it was clear that disgusted with the summary treatment meted out to them, they had decided to place a convenient distance between themselves and the British line.

China has established a double standard of weights and measures that includes the metric system and a native one.

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Now for Two of the Biggest Coat Days of the Season

Five Racks of Women's WINTER COATS

To Go on Sale Friday and Saturday at Great
Bargain Prices—

\$5.00, \$10.00 and \$15.00

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A COMPLETE rearrangement of our Women's Coat stock results in five racks full of the smartest of this season's models being sorted into the above three prices for extraordinarily quick selling Friday and Saturday.

The \$5.00 Coats are of navy blue serge and tweeds.

The \$10.00 Coats include fancy tweeds, serges, curl cloths and the season's most wanted materials.

The \$15.00 Coats represent values as high as \$30.00, and all the most fashionable styles and fabrics are included.

Such extraordinary Coat bargains as these cannot fail to attract and interest all who are planning the purchase of their new Winter model. We therefore advise early shopping to save disappointment.

—First Floor

200 Pairs Ladies' Kid Gloves

On Sale Today
at, Pair **50c**

Regular \$1.00 Values

WHEN you remember that the prices of all Kid Gloves have advanced considerably during the past few months, you will appreciate this opportunity of being able to buy regular dollar values for half. Some 200 Pairs of Gloves involved in this offering, and you choose from all sizes in tan, brown and white. Needless to say—Early shopping essential.

—Main Floor

1,500 Knitted Bow Ties for Men

On Sale Today

Three for 25c

Regular 25c Grade

AN extraordinary purchase by our buyer—now in the East—brings this exceptionally big assortment of New Knitted Bow Ties here to sell at—3 for the price of one.

Every color imaginable included, in both plain and combination effects, and each Tie fitted with patent clasp to attach to collar stud. Every man should see these values—they are just right for inexpensive gifts. These Bow ties are also suitable for boys to wear. See window display on View Street.

—Main Floor

Children's All-Wool Cash- mere Socks

In half and three-quarter lengths, all sizes; black, tan and white. A pair, 25c and **35c**

Women's and Children's Cashmere Hose

Women's Plain Cashmere Hose, in black and tan, in a wide range of qualities and specially good values. At, pair, 25c, 35c, 50c, 65c and **\$1.00**
Imported Cashmere Hose for women and children. Guaranteed quality, all best wool, 1 in 1 and 2 in 1. Black and tan only; all sizes 5 to 10. Priced according to size, at, pair, 35c to **75c**
Little Darling Hose, in black, tan, white, sky, pink and cardinal. Sizes 4 to 7. At, pair **25c**

—Main Floor

Eiderdown and Kapok Com- forters

A beautiful range of new designs, colorings and qualities that will suit all pocket books. Kapok Comforters—Full size, ... **\$4.75**
Eiderdown Comforters—In sizes 5 x 6 and 6 x 6, each, \$5.75, \$6.75, \$7.50 and **\$8.75**

—Main Floor

Men's 75c and \$1.00 Braces, Today **65c** at, Pair

Men's superior quality Braces, made from silk lisle web, in light fancy stripes, and in colors blue, mauve and tan; white kid ends. These will make very useful and seasonable gifts. Regular values 75c and \$1.00. Special sale today at, pair **65c**

—Main Floor

At 10:30 Saturday Morning A Big Clearing Away of Children's Hats at **\$1.00**

INCLUDED are serviceable Felt Hats, trimmed with velvet and flowers; White Corduroy Hats, also blues, browns and reds in combination shades. Hats that are priced much below their real values for a quick clean-up on Saturday morning. Bring your girls along, and get here sharp on time for first choice.

—Second Floor

New Brushed Wool Sweater Sets With Trimmings in Combination Shades

SOMETHING entirely new for Brushed Wool Sweaters, and they are certainly most attractive. Made from a fine quality all wool, with roll collar and cuffs of striped wool, convertible revers, that can be worn either open or buttoned to neck; belt back, side pockets and self-covered buttons. In shades of rose with white, sage with white, white with black. Two-Piece Sets—Coat and Cap to match—at, a set **\$7.75**

—First Floor

Special Clean-Up of Women's House Dresses

Regular \$2.90 and \$3.90
Values, Today **\$1.90**

BETTER-GRADE House Dresses in zephyr, binghams, muslins, English prints and gingham. Smart serviceable styles and, at the above special price, very great bargains. For these you will have to shop early today.

—First Floor

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